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## PRESBYTERIANS CONCLUDE LABORS

**SUPERINTENDENTS  
ARE APPOINTED**

**Committee Will Report on  
Question of Marriage of  
Divorcees**

Edmonton, Alta., June 14.—At the closing session of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church here yesterday, Principal Mackay, of Westminster hall, Vancouver, made an interesting statement. The Methodists, Presbyterians and Anglicans on a plan for the erection of a joint institution in theology. A quadrangle had been selected on the site of the new provincial university and splendid buildings would be erected. All arrangements had been made for the joint use of class-rooms and for a common library. The door is to be left open for future developments.

Principal Murray, of the University of Saskatchewan, made a vigorous address on the need of establishing theological colleges in connection with the new institutions of the west. Alberta, he said, was much larger than the German Empire, which had within its boundaries sixty million people. The need of a theological college in connection with the provincial university was not perfectly apparent to-day, but it would be apparent enough to all in five years.

In the budget for 1913 it was decided to accept the report of the committee. This fixes the amount to be secured for the year 1913 at \$1,200,000. A request was presented for authority to organize a new college at Saskatoon and this was given without a dissenting vote.

Judge Swanson brought a request from British Columbia. He stated that in that province ministers were troubled in the matter of their "marriage of persons who had secured divorces in the United States." He asked that the assembly give instructions.

Another case was from the Maritime provinces, asking for greater strictness in connection with the theological standards of the church. Committees were named to take both these cases under advisement.

A resolution consolidating the moneys of the aged and infirm ministers fund was passed. Under this order the sum of \$65,000 will be transferred from the office in Halifax to the office in Toronto.

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## STRIKER KILLED IN FIGHT WITH OFFICER

**Deputy Sheriffs Open Fire on  
Laborers Who Storm  
Smelting Plant**

Perth Amboy, N. J., June 14.—A thousand striking laborers stormed the plant of the American Smelting & Refining Company here to-day and were fired on by deputy sheriffs. One of the strikers was killed and three others wounded.

The strike is a peculiar one, involving as it does no particular craft, but being made up variously of laborers of American Smelting & Refining Co., section hands, from the Northwestern division of the Lehigh Valley railroad, men, women and girls employees of the Perth Amboy Tobacco Co., and other minor plants.

The man killed was shot twice through the neck. Those injured are in a critical condition.

The strikers succeeded in setting fire to the fence surrounding the works before they were driven back. After retreating out of range they held a parley, and strike leaders declared they would make another charge and get inside of the works even at the cost of more lives.

Sheriff Bollschweiler immediately took steps to swear in 400 additional deputies, and said he would refrain as long as possible from calling on the militia.

**BISLEY TEAM.**

Winnipeg, June 14.—Sergeant Madden, of the 20th Regiment, a waiting man on the Bisley team, died yesterday that he could not get away owing to pressure of private business. This will allow Corporal G. A. Copping, 3rd Victoria Rifles, Montreal, to go.

**ACCIDENTAL DEATH.**

Edmonton, June 14.—An authentic report on the death of Andrew Ansbury, the ferryman who was killed at Lac Ste. Anne on June 7, has been received by the local department of the mounted police. According to the information received, the case on which a local coroner's jury will make a report on June 21, was one of accidental shooting.

**CHINESE LOAN.**

London, June 14.—An early settlement of the negotiations in connection with the proposed Chinese loan is anticipated here.

The Japanese government has intimated its willingness to withdraw its demands that the recognition of Japan's interests in Manchuria should be included in the bankers' agreement if the bankers will place it on record that this is a matter for the powers and not for the financiers in the deal. Russia's acquiescence is expected soon.

**EQUIPMENT INCOMPLETE.**

Regina, Sask., June 14.—The local regiment of Saskatchewan Rifles and the half battalion located at Moose Jaw may not go to camp at Sewell, owing to the failure of the Department of Militia to complete the outfitting of the corps.

## THREE VOLCANOES IN ERUPTION

**INDIANS IN ALASKA  
IN STATE OF PANIC**

**Snow on Mountain Peaks  
Blackened by Vol-  
canic Ashes**

Seattle, Wash., June 14.—Capt. M. M. Jensen, master of the steamship Admiral Sampson of the Alaska Coast Company, which arrived in Seattle at 12:45 this morning, witnessed the eruption of Mount Iliamna, Mount Redoubt and Mount Katmai from the bridge of his vessel while lying at Port Graham.

Captain Jensen says that all three of the volcanoes were in eruption, but that Mount Katmai was the most active.

"We were at the dock at Port Graham last Thursday afternoon, when we heard a noise resembling distant cannonading," said Captain Jensen. "There was a dull thundering noise, which continued all of Thursday afternoon and night. Friday morning from the bridge of the Sampson I could see light fumes coming from the top of Mount Iliamna and Mount Redoubt, but from Mount Katmai a dense black smoke was issuing. While volcanic ashes made a light covering on the deck, the ash was high in sulphur and I noticed that all of the brass railings about the ship soon became tarnished."

Captain Jensen said that during the eruption the sun looked like a red ball of fire, and that the Indians at Port Graham were badly frightened. The fall of volcanic ash continued during Thursday, Friday and Saturday, but there were heavy fumes at Port Graham which after the Sampson sailed southward became fine volcanic dust.

"The fall of ash at Port Graham and Seldovia was very light," said Captain Jensen, "which was probably caused by the fact that the wind was from the west. There was only a light covering, not so much as a sixteenth of an inch, and it inconvenienced no one. There was absolutely no damage at Port Graham or Seldovia."

The master of the Admiral Sampson said that the snow of the entire mountain range visible from Port Graham was blackened by the ashes which fell from the volcano, changing the whole aspect of the landscape.

"It was the most remarkable sight I have ever witnessed," said Captain Jensen. "The entire sky was of a light red color, the sun appearing like a ball of fire. I learned from the members of a hunting party that the natives of the interior were panic-stricken, believing that the end of the world had come. We were only about ninety miles from Mount Katmai when it was in eruption, but the strong wind undoubtedly carried the heavy shower of ash away from it."

The Sampson was at Juneau when the steamship Bertha, of the same fleet, arrived from the north. "The Bertha had been in a much heavier shower of ash than the Sampson and her masts and decks were white."

## REPORTS LABOR SHORTAGE IN WEST

**J. S. Dennis Says Thousands of  
Men Are Needed on  
Railways**

Montreal, June 14.—There is a great shortage of labor in Western Canada, according to J. S. Dennis, the head of the natural resources department of the C. P. R., who is in Montreal to attend a meeting of the department. Mr. Dennis said that on the irrigation works of the company in Alberta the company wanted 1,000 more men than it could get, and it was estimated that in railway and other work there was at the present time a demand for 20,000 in excess of the supply.

## KNIGHTHOOD FOR PREMIER M'BRIDE

**HON. R. P. ROBILIN OF  
MANITOBA ALSO HONORED**

**Other Canadians Included in  
List of King's Birth-  
day Honors**

London, June 14.—The list of the King's birthday honors announced last night includes the names of Richard McBride and Redmond Palen Roblin, premiers of British Columbia and Manitoba respectively, who are made Knight Commanders of the Order of St. Michael and St. George. Other Canadians honored are John McDougall, deputy minister of customs, and James M. Macoun, of the department of mines, Ottawa, who are named Companions of the Order of St. Michael and St. George. Joseph Dubuc, the chief justice of Manitoba, is created a Knight Bachelor. William Henry Walker, of the department of external affairs, Ottawa, receives the Imperial Service Order decoration.

It is now Sir Richard McBride, K. C. M. G. The premier to-day is being deluged with congratulations, and his friends already have so accustomed themselves to the new order that "Sir Richard" flows trippingly from the tongue in the most approved social style. It is unnecessary to give any lengthy biographical sketch of British Columbia's new knight. He has been in the public eye more or less conspicuously since 1898, when he was elected to represent Dewdney in the provincial legislature. Although still a young man, he has been in the political swim for 14 years.

Sir Richard McBride was 41 years of age last December. He was educated at New Westminster and Dalhousie University, Halifax, which, by the way, is the Alma Mater of several other prominent British Columbians, including Hon. W. J. Bowser and Mr. Justice Morrison. His first lift in the public life of the province, after his election to the House, came in 1898, when he was pointed a member of the Duguid administration. His political progress since then is familiar to the people of this province. He became premier in 1903 and has held that high position ever since.

Sir R. P. Roblin, Manitoba's new K. C. M. G. is of Dutch descent, and was born in Prince Edward county, Ont., 59 years ago. He was educated at Albert College, Belleville, Ont. Upon going to Manitoba he

**FIGHTING EXTRADITION.**

Nelson, June 14.—C. J. Verbeke, Belgian, waited in the home country to serve a sentence of four years' imprisonment for fraudulent bankruptcy, will put up a fight against extradition. A. M. Johnson, for the defence, yesterday indicated that an attempt would be made to prove that the offence of fraudulent bankruptcy does not exist in Canada and consequently is not extraditable. Verbeke is said to have misused fifty thousand francs. The case was adjourned until next Friday, bail being allowed at \$5,000.

**FISHERMAN DROWNED.**

Steveston, B. C., June 14.—S. Old, a Japanese fisherman, was drowned off the wharf of the Imperial Cannery Company. Little is known as to the occurrence, as the police were unable to get much information from the excited Japanese who witnessed the affair. They state that the man had fallen from the wharf, and as there were no marks of violence on the body, it was pronounced accidental death.

## EXTRAVAGANCE IS CONDEMNED

**REPORT ON MANITOBA  
GOVERNMENT 'PHONES**

**Commissioners Declare Pro-  
posed Increase in Rates  
Not Necessary**

Winnipeg, June 14.—The report of the royal commission appointed to inquire into the administration and conditions of the Manitoba government telephone system was made public yesterday. Featured in the report is the finding that the proposed increase of rates and the reduction of measured service as proposed by the Roblin government are not required in order to put the system on a sound paying basis.

The commissioners condemn the extravagant manner in which the system has been operated and point out that a very large saving can be made by economic management. They state that as a result of their investigations they find the telephone system is well built and equipped and that a good service had been provided for the public.

The commission, composed of County Court Judge Locke, R. L. Barre, electrical engineer, of Minneapolis, Minn., and G. R. Crowe, a prominent

## STRENUOUS FIGHT FOR DELEGATES

**FEELING RUNS HIGH  
AMONG REPUBLICANS**

**La Follette May Hold Balance  
of Power at the  
Convention**

Chicago, June 14.—Delegates to the Republican national convention, in anticipation of the coming to Chicago of Col. Roosevelt and a history-making episode in American politics, to-day went back to the first nomination of Abraham Lincoln in 1860, in order to find a parallel for the fight being waged here. Roosevelt men, kept at a high pitch by frequent conferences and mass meetings in which their leaders attack the actions of the national committee with bitterness, pointed to the death of the old Whig party as their theory of what may happen in Chicago next week.

Taft leaders, declaring that the action of the national committee in seating the Roosevelt delegates from Missouri was indicative of its fairness, laughed at the predictions of Col. Roosevelt's followers and the continued talk of a bolt.

The Roosevelt managers announced to-day that if all the remaining contests before the national committee are decided in favor of Taft, he will lack 14 votes of the number necessary to nominate.

These figures and others compiled at both Taft and Roosevelt headquarters, brought the situation down to a point where discussion of a deadlock and a possible "dark horse" candidate loomed at large. Some Roosevelt men declare that yesterday's developments in seating Taft delegates from Missouri, the southern delegates and from Wisconsin and North Dakota to-day became intense.

Every possible argument is being used by the campaign managers on both sides to get the advantage in these quarters. The Roosevelt men directed a concerted effort toward the seven delegates in attempting to make them believe that they would represent an absolutely certain majority against President Taft's situation, both as to the nominations and matters pertaining to the convention.

As a result of the tightening of the Taft-Roosevelt lines, the La Follette delegation looms larger than ever as a strategic force and in the calculations of the managers of the candidates, it ranks a close second to the southern and uninstructed vote in the convention.

It was pointed out, that if President Taft was not in absolute control of the convention, from start to finish La Follette would hold a balance of power. The question of debate among leaders was whether this possible balance would be used.

Roosevelt leaders frankly said they expected the aid of the La Follette strength in a campaign to defeat United States Senator Root as temporary chairman. To this end the Roosevelt forces have suggested that they would be willing to support any candidate for temporary chairmanship that the La Follette supporters might choose.

Walter L. Houser, Senator La Follette's campaign manager, however, repeated to-day his assertion that the La Follette delegation would positively avoid all campaigns of any character with any other candidates.

Mr. Houser declared that the La Follette organization was looking ahead only to the senator's future, and the success of the policies, which he has advocated in his fight through the various state primaries.

William Barnes, Jr., of New York, in calculations tabulated personally, announced that President Taft would have 574 votes on the temporary roll call of the convention. If this claim be found correct when the national convention completes the hearing of contests to-morrow, the president would have a majority on paper of exactly seventy votes over the combined opposition.

When the situation affecting the possible winning of Taft delegates to the Roosevelt side was discussed, the Taft leaders insisted that even heroic efforts to that end would be futile in the face of the president's strength on paper. They pointed out that from their figures Roosevelt would have only 450 votes, that it would be necessary to get control of the convention out of the hands of the president's supporters and that then it would be necessary to get forty-five delegates more, the number instructed for La Follette and Cummins, in order to nominate Roosevelt.

Many of the Roosevelt men concede the improbability of the nomination of the former president on the first ballot, but at the same time say President Taft cannot muster votes to adopt the report of the credentials committee. Here is the point where they claim the Taft ship will go on the rocks.

Will Go to Chicago.

New York, June 14.—Theodore Roosevelt announced this afternoon that he had decided to go to Chicago to lead his fight for the nomination. He will

leave New York at 5.30 this afternoon over the New York Central.

Taft Confident.  
Washington, D. C., June 14.—"There will be no third candidate. All the information I get is that I will be nominated on the first ballot with votes to spare."

That was President Taft's answer to-day to a visitor who asked his position in regard to a compromise candidate at the Republican national convention.

**FALLS TO HIS DEATH.**

Moose Jaw, June 14.—While being lowered down a well under construction at the Chairmand farm, near Willow Bunch, Charles Thomas fell, through the rope breaking, a distance of ninety feet. There were no traces of injury and death was either due to the shock or asphyxiation from gas.

## BAPTISTS DISCUSS BRANDON COLLEGE

**REGULAR COURSE  
WILL BE MAINTAINED**

**Dr. Clark, of Winnipeg, Comes  
to Aid of the Board  
of Trustees**

Brandon, Man., June 14.—At the Baptist convention here yesterday it was announced that in view of the difference of opinion on the question of the maintenance of the arts course at the Brandon college here, Dr. G. W. Clark, of Winnipeg, founder of Clark hall, had written stating that he would take care of the present mortgage of \$35,000 on the Brandon college, and in addition aid in the placing in the hands of the trustees \$100,000. If this was not arranged before his death he made a promise to provide for it in his will, on condition that the arts course be maintained in the college.

After a vigorous discussion the convention decided by an overwhelming majority to maintain the college on its present status. The point of contention was whether or not this course should be maintained as it has hitherto been. Professor E. G. Mode, of the college, opposed the continuance on the ground of expense and unfulfilled promises to donate subscriptions.

On the other hand, Rev. J. C. Bowen, of Winnipeg, declared it will be nothing short of denominational suicide for the Baptists to refuse to take care of it and fit the youth of to-day for the task of to-morrow. They were, he said, at the parting of the ways, and if they did not conserve the youth to the work of the future, they might as well quit altogether. He explained how eastern Baptists had bemoaned the mistake they had made a generation ago, a mistake similar to the one which was positively to be made now.

A vote was taken, and only about one-half dozen were reported against the motion to continue the regular course.

**WILL VISIT WINNIPEG.**

**Duke of Connaught Will Be Accom-  
panied By His Daughter.**

Winnipeg, June 14.—Official advice has been received by Mayor Waugh that the Duke of Connaught will be accompanied on his trip to Winnipeg for the opening of the exhibition in July by the Princess Patricia. Owing to her illness the Duchess of Connaught will not come, and it had been feared in Winnipeg that the princess would not visit the west either. It is stated that the duchess will remain quietly in Ottawa until she has completely regained her strength.

**TACOMA BOY-KILLED.**

Tacoma, Wash., June 14.—Milton Sullivan, aged 10 years, son of J. J. Sullivan, a prominent local business man, was killed when a revolver wrapped in cloth was discharged by being dropped on the floor. He and Paul Cathagan, a playmate, were taking articles from a trunk at the home of William Little, Paul's brother-in-law, and dropped the concealed revolver, thinking it a bundle of clothes.

## AMBASSADOR BRYCE IN NEW ZEALAND

**Does Not Believe Peace of the  
World is Seriously  
Threatened**

Wellington, N. Z., June 14.—Right Hon. James Bryce, British ambassador to Washington, in a speech here, said he was not one who believed that the peace of the world was seriously threatened. However, he considered it a cardinal necessity that Great Britain should be in a position to resist invasion of her dominions. He pointed to the steps taken by New Zealand and those being taken by Australia as a source of great pride to the British Empire.

## INVESTIGATING TITANIC DISASTER

**CALIFORNIAN IGNORED  
SIGNALS OF DISTRESS**

**Lord Mersey Says Steamer  
Ought to Have Made Efforts  
to Reach Liner**

London, June 14.—The British court of inquiry into the Titanic disaster will find that the steamer Californian defaulted from its duty. In the course of yesterday's hearing Lord Mersey, the president, stated without qualification: "I have no doubt that the Californian did see distress signals, that they were signals from the Titanic, and that the Californian ought to have made efforts to get to the Titanic."

Sir Alfred Chambers, special adviser to the marine board of trade, explained to the court the reason why the board of trade's lifeboat scale had not been altered for eighteen years. It was because travelling across the Atlantic was the safest mode of travelling in the world. The disaster had not caused him to think changes were necessary. No lessons were to be learned from the catastrophe because it was an extraordinary occurrence.

Allen C. Edwards, the attorney for the dockers' union, interjected that the board of trade seemed to be an extraordinary department for guarding against ordinary occurrences. Asserting that he had planned and urged more lifeboats for the liner Titanic, A. M. Carlisle, designer of the lost liner, gave damaging testimony at the inquiry. He asserted that he firmly believed that the number of lifeboats was insufficient and repeatedly said so, before the ship was put in commission. He asserted that he submitted plans for more lifeboat davits, but that they were rejected. Carlisle said that he submitted these plans with his arguments several times when Managing Director Ismay and Director Sanderson were present.

Stead's Son Writes.  
Washington, D. C., June 14.—Alfred Stead, son of W. T. Stead, the writer, who was lost on the Titanic, has written Senator William A. Smith, urging that the United States refuse to accept certificates of the British board of trade relating to steamship inspection, and to insist upon an American inspection of all trans-Atlantic ships. R. F. Schwerin, general manager of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, appeared before the senate investigating committee to-day to make suggestions for the safeguarding of ocean travel.

## NEW STATION ON TRANSCONTINENTAL

**Tenders for Work Involving  
Expenditure of Over \$250,-  
000 Will Be Opened To-day**

Ottawa, June 14.—Tenders for the construction of twenty-five standard "A" stations and two terminal "D" stations on the line of the National transcontinental railway between Cochrane and Superior Junction, at a cost of from \$250,000 to \$300,000, will be opened here to-day. The tenders include, besides the station buildings, trainmen's houses, costing about \$15,000 each and equipped with shower baths and all modern improvements calculated to make the employees comfortable.

Freight houses and coal houses will also be erected. The contract calls for the completion of the stations within three months after the tracks are laid to them.

**MORMON MISSIONARIES.**

**Are Active at Montreal—Meet New  
Settlers.**

Montreal, June 14.—A quarrel between Mormon missionaries and Rev. John Chisholm, the minister who meets settlers on their arrival here, has drawn attention to the fact that missionaries from Salt Lake City have been conducting an aggressive campaign here. Rev. Mr. Chisholm declares the Mormon missionaries were trying to get two young women bound to Toronto to join them, whereupon he interfered.

Turning upon him, the missionaries insulted him and called upon the officers of the line to have him put off the pier, whereupon Mr. Chisholm called for police protection and showed that he had authority to be there to look after the interests of immigrants. Mr. Chisholm says the Mormons have men on the boats now who interview people on their way to Canada.

**CHILD DROWNED IN TUB.**

Edmonton, Alta., June 14.—While her mother was in the house making a doll for the child, Doris May Williams, the thirteen-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Williams, fell into a tub of water yesterday and was drowned.



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4-lb. tin ..... 85¢  
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MACFARLANE'S SCOTCH BISCUITS, per lb. ..... 15¢  
ARMOUR'S POTTED MEAT, for sandwiches, 4 tins for ..... 25¢  
McLAREN'S CHEESE, per jar, 50¢ and ..... 25¢  
FINEST GRANULATED SUGAR, 100-lb. sack ..... \$6.35  
20-lb. sack ..... \$1.35  
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### SCORES CHICAGO UNIONISTS.

San Francisco, Cal., June 14.—J. Freeman Frey, of Indianapolis, former vice-president and now ex-officio member of the executive board of International Stereotypers and Electrotypers Union, occupied nearly the entire morning session of the annual convention yesterday in his defence of the position of the international officers in revoking the charter of the Chicago Stereotypers' Union, Local No. 4, for engaging in a sympathetic strike with the striking Webb pressmen of that city.

Frey reviewed the entire Chicago strike situation and condemned the local unionists for their action. Secretary George W. Williams, of the International union who preceded Frey on the floor, said: "The international union has 4,500 members throughout the country. The Chicago union has 290 members. From the action taken by the Chicago people and their attitude now, it is clear that they wish to dominate the whole international organization. If this convention sanctions that sympathetic strike in Chicago, the whole organization would be disrupted."

### WINNIPEG WATER SUPPLY.

Winnipeg, June 14.—Colonel Rutan, city engineer, will shortly submit plans for the extension of the city's waterworks supply to Poplar Springs. The city council has been considering this for some time.

## RELIEF FOR STRICKEN PEOPLE IN ALASKA

Tug Printer, Now at Seward, is Being Loaded With Provisions

Seward, Alaska, June 14.—The tug Printer is at the dock, and a crew of citizens are loading her with provisions for the relief of the sufferers from the recent deposition of volcanic ashes at Kodiak. Tons of hay to be used in feeding livestock also are being sent. Some fears are expressed here for the residents of Lake Clark and Illiamna districts, where it is known that a large number of prospectors and several hunting parties have gone for the summer. This region is right below the smoldering volcano, and doubtless a large amount of ashes and pumice was precipitated upon them. It is thought that much of the game has been destroyed. The Illiamna region is of distinctly volcanic formation, and contains three active volcanoes—Mounts Redoubt, St. Augustine and Illiamna. Redoubt was smoking on June 6 when it was observed by the passengers on the steamship Dora.

The Dora is lying idle at the dock, and the feeling here is that a subscription should be started to send her to all points affected by the disturbance. No boats are running to the westward, and the only hope of relief for the residents of the coast line of Shelikof Straits lies in the revenue cutters.

Will Carry Supplies Free.

Seattle, Wash., June 14.—The Alaska S. S. Company will transport supplies free to the Alaska volcano sufferers, and also will furnish free transportation for such of the victims as wish to go to Seward, Valdez or Cordova. Silas W. Reches, who is at the head of the Morgan-Guggenheim syndicate, telegraphed yesterday to General Manager Baxter, of the Alaska S. S. Co., telling him to spend any sum of money necessary to relieve the distress, and to use the whole fleet if it were needed.

Mr. Baxter will arrive at Cordova to-day and will thereupon proceed to execute the orders.

### STRIKE RIOTS.

Perth, Amboy, N. J., June 14.—Mounted patrolmen and sheriff's deputies ordered all saloons closed yesterday in the vicinity of the plant of the American Smelting & Refining Company here, where a serious strike riot occurred Wednesday night, in which two policemen were injured by stones and three rioters were injured by bullets.

Deputy sheriffs and the strikers clashed again yesterday, and although the officers declared they shot in the air, one of the strikers was injured. Several deputies were slightly injured.



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## J. H. WILSON BACK FROM AUSTRALIA

President of International Seamen's Union Pays Visit to San Francisco

San Francisco, Cal., June 14.—Joseph Havelock Wilson, president of the International Seamen's Union and former member of parliament, arrived here yesterday from Australia on the liner Tahiti. He is en route to England.

Mr. Wilson was met at the dock by Mayor James Rolph, Jr., and a committee of citizens and members of the Seamen's union.

"This reception is a delightful contrast to the last time I entered your city," said the labor leader to Mayor Rolph.

"That was thirty years ago, when I came in before the mast on the water-logged little sailing vessel Surprise, eight months from Tahiti. Every man of us had been at the pumps since two days after we left the island port. We were nearly starved and short of drinking water."

Mr. Wilson is accompanied by his wife, who is ill and still suffering from the effects of an operation performed in Melbourne. The couple will remain in the United States several weeks. Mr. Wilson told of the organization of the National Sailors' and Firemen's Union of Great Britain in 1886.

"We had an uphill fight with the organization until last year," he said, "and then our great strength, which tipped up sixty ports, brought the ship-pers to their senses. The fight lasted three weeks and resulted in the full recognition of our union, an advance of \$5 a month in wages of the men and an overtime provision in the agreement. I spent two years with others making the preliminary arrangements for that struggle. Our organization has increased in membership in an incredibly short time from 80,000 to 150,000 men."

## CO-OPERATION IN IMPERIAL DEFENCE

Resolution Adopted by Delegates of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire

London, June 14.—National defence was considered by the Chambers of Commerce of the Empire yesterday on a resolution of the Vancouver Board of Trade, expressing the desirability of all parts of the Empire co-operating towards imperial defence, and that the respective governments be urged to adopt a practical scheme of co-operation.

Ex-Mayor Alexander McCandless, of Vancouver, suggested that while negotiations to this end were proceeding the Canadian government should contribute £2,000,000 unconditionally for protection afforded in past century.

Mr. Johnson, an Ontario delegate, said that whether Canada's contribution was ships or money the government of Canada and the opposition were agreed that the plain duty of Canada was to assist to the fullest extent of her means in the maintenance of the Empire.

An Australian delegate said that practical work and less talk was required. A South African delegate said that commercial men there cordially agreed with the resolution, though the government was not showing much interest in the matter. The resolution was carried unanimously.

### DELEGATES FOR ROOSEVELT.

Compromise Arranged at Meeting of Republican National Committee.

Chicago, June 14.—Eight delegates for Colonel Roosevelt and 18 for President Taft, marked yesterday's gains of the two chief rivals for the Republican presidential nomination from the decision of contest by the national committee. The committee also settled disputes between rival Roosevelt factions in two districts of North Carolina, thus clearing the colonel's title to votes from those sections. It was a day of Roosevelt victories, but the victories were achieved with the full acquiescence of the Taft majority on the committee.

Missouri's contests which threatened another battle between the Taft and Roosevelt factions, were compromised so effectively that the committee was unanimous in giving the Roosevelt forces eight and Taft six of the contesting delegates of that state. For Roosevelt, the four delegates at large from Missouri, two each from the first and fifth Missouri districts, two each from the third and ninth North Carolina districts. The committee now has given President Taft 159 delegates and Roosevelt 12.

When adjournment was taken it was the belief that other compromises could be effected to dispose of some of the remaining contests. In the Missouri cases, as soon as the Roosevelt delegation at large had been seated, conferences were undertaken amongst the Missouri factions which resulted in the dividing of contested district delegations between Roosevelt and Taft.

### HEATED FREIGHT CARS.

Ottawa, June 14.—At the sitting of the railway commission to be held in Ottawa, July 2, railroad companies are to be asked why a general order should not be issued requiring them to furnish heated freight car service. Railroads have also been ordered by the board to file a statement showing the number of passenger cars on the roads to be heated by stoves and what service the cars are assigned to.

## NINETEEN YEARS ADDED TO SENTENCE'S

Trial of Convicts Who Escaped From Penitentiary—Desperado's Eloquent Plea

Kingston, Ont., June 14.—Nineteen years were added by Judge Madden to each of the sentences of Frank Jones, Harry Kelly and George Brown, the western desperadoes, who, on April 29 escaped from the penitentiary after assaulting and wounding guards. The men came up yesterday at the court of general sessions along with Arthur Bonnar, the Australian, who came under their influence at the Stony Mountain penitentiary and became further associated with them at the time of their escape.

Bonnar conducted his case with the skill of a lawyer and showed that he was an educated man and should have been doing something better than getting into trouble in the West by becoming a horse thief. Jones, when he saw how the jury acted in the charges against his comrades, put in a plea of guilty and saved the court an hour trying him.

The additional 19 years means that Jones and Kelly have 36 years of prison life before them while Brown, the abductor of Gladys Price, will serve 27 years before becoming a free man. Bonnar put up a splendid plea to the judge when he stood up for sentence. He asked for another chance. Judge Madden said that while he gave him the same sentence as the other three that if he behaved himself well in prison during the remaining years of his western sentence, he would be given an opportunity at the expiration of the ten years to apply for a pardon. The judge said he would follow his penitentiary life with some interest in view of the splendid plea he had made.

### BANKER ENDS LIFE.

San Jose, Cal., June 14.—James A. Costa, a prominent private banker of this city, committed suicide yesterday by hanging himself in a barn at his home. Several months ago Costa was found tied to a chair in the private office of his bank. He said that he had been robbed of a large amount of money, but suspicion was aroused and the burglary insurance he carried was never paid. Since then he had been despondent.

### RAILWAY AGREEMENT.

Burlington Trains Will Be Operated Over the Chicago & Northwestern Lines.

Denver, Colo., June 14.—A contract has been signed by the Burlington and the Chicago & Northwestern railways calling for the operation of Burlington trains over the Chicago & Northwestern line of the Hill system, beginning August 12, according to an announcement made here. Denver is the principal city on the route. Before that date will see the completion of the Burlington's Thermopole-Powder River link in Wyoming, with the possibility that by the end of summer trains from Seattle to Galveston will pass through Denver. The Northern Pacific is the westernmost link to

the new line accommodating trains from Seattle to Lavelle, just east of Billings, where the Burlington will pick them up for transportation through the Big Horn canyon to the Northwestern. The latter by virtue of the new contract will haul them to Oriole Junction on the Colorado & Southern to Cheyenne, and the new link of that system to Denver via Fort Collins. From Denver the Colorado & Southern controls sufficient trackage to reach Lavelle.

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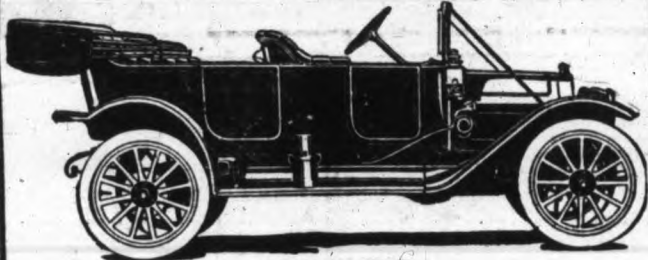
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### MAY KEEP GUN.

Ottawa, June 14.—There have been no official developments in regard to the Bunker Hill monument proposal. The minister of militia is not talking about the matter at all, but there is every reason to believe the latter has received a number of communications.

In view of the international character of the subject it is probable that before the gun is given up the question will be discussed by the cabinet ministers. As there is a strong sentiment against it, and the chances are that it will stay where it is.

## U. S. GOVERNMENT ASSISTED BANKS

HELPED TO STEM THE PANIC OF 1907

Former Secretary of Treasury Gives Evidence Before Committee in New York

New York, June 14.—George B. Cortelyou, secretary of the treasury under President Roosevelt, was called to the stand yesterday at the hearing of the Pulo committee investigating the so-called money trust, to tell the manner in which the government deposited \$25,000,000 in the New York national banks to help stem the panic of 1907.

Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the committee, attempted to learn the names of the banks in which the money was deposited, but Mr. Cortelyou said his memory on this subject was poor.

The witness said he came here on October 22, 1907, and had a conference with J. P. Morgan, James Stillman, A. B. Hepburn, George F. Baker, George W. Perkins, Frank A. Vanderlip and other financiers. After inquiring into the general situation, he promised that the government would aid "in a general way."

The next evening, he said, another conference was held. He was not sure that Mr. Morgan was present then. At this conference the witness said he promised \$25,000,000 for distribution among the banks.

"At the first conference," he explained, "I stated that I would not deposit a dollar, except for the relief of the country generally and the commercial community generally."

Mr. Untermyer asked the witness if anything was said about the high rate of call money on the stock exchange and of the failure to get money here.

Mr. Cortelyou started to give an explanation, and was asked sharply to reply to the question.

"You know, Mr. Untermyer," he said, "there are questions I cannot answer yes or no, without doing myself an injustice. I have a right to make an explanation of my position, and I propose to exercise that right."

This brought forth cheers from the bankers and brokers looking on, and a declaration of Chairman Pulo that he would have ejected anyone repeating it.

Mr. Cortelyou said he "probably did have such a discussion, but could not recall the details."

The functions of the New York stock exchange and its relations to the fiscal operations of the great New York banking institutions and railroad and industrial corporations was again taken up by the committee.

J. P. Morgan & Company were today represented at the hearing by Joseph H. Choate and Francis L. Stetson. Mr. Choate is Mr. Morgan's personal attorney.

### PRAIRIE CROP CONDITIONS.

Winnipeg, June 14.—The crop reports of a Winnipeg paper show conditions to be generally satisfactory, though the season, taking the country as a whole, is somewhat later than 1911. On Monday, 273 points in the three provinces were asked to reply by Wednesday to the following questions:

"What is the percentage of increase in acreage of wheat, oats, barley and flax, over 1911?"

"What is the present height of wheat, oats, barley and flax?"

"Has there been damage from frost, hail or rain since last report?"

"Compare conditions of crop with the same date in 1911."

Wednesday night 204 points had been heard from. They were distributed as follows: C. P. R. lines 127, C. N. R. lines 59, G. T. P. lines 18.

Practically all these points report satisfactory and good progress. A very few points in Alberta and two in Saskatchewan declared a need of rain. Only three points reported any damage from the frost of June 5 and this was not of a serious nature. The crop is reported as well rooted, of good color and strong.

### TWO HUNDRED STRIKE.

White Salmon, Wash., June 14.—Responding to a call by I. W. W. leaders named McNamara and Montgomery, 200 men in the employ of Stone W. Webster, contractors for the North-western Electric Company's dam on the White Salmon river, struck yesterday. These men are getting \$2.25 a day and are paying 75 cents a day for board. They demand \$2.50 a day and better food.

An I. W. W. organization was formed in White Salmon some time ago with 18 members. The Northwestern company began picking off the strikers. The strikers say the dam, the station at White Salmon and underwork, the ferry landing at Underwood and other points of arrival for strike-breakers, are picketed, and that the headquarters at Portland, Seattle, Tacoma and Spokane are watched. They insist that all strike leaders be taken back to work.

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## WOMAN DETECTIVE GIVES EVIDENCE

Testifies at Darrow's Trial—Who Will Get Reward for Arrest of Dynamiters?

Los Angeles, Cal., June 14.—The monotony of a string of detectives successively testifying to the same thing, was broken when a woman detective took the stand in the trial of C. S. Darrow for alleged jury bribery yesterday.

Miss Eula Hitchcock, secretary to Chief of Detectives Samuel L. Brown of the district attorney's office, who wears a gold star presented by her assistants, told how she took up the search for and found Mrs. Flora Caplan, wife of David Caplan, a Times dynamiting suspect as yet uncaught.

Miss Hitchcock testified that she found Mrs. Caplan near Lahonda in the Santa Cruz mountains and there served the latter with a subpoena to testify in the McNamara case. The witness said that the woman was living in an isolated part of the mountains with Eric B. Morton, a San Francisco labor leader, and the latter's wife. It was the state's contention that Mrs. Caplan was one of the important witnesses spirited away by the McNamara defence.

The respective claims of Detective W. J. Burns and Samuel L. Brown, for some of the \$50,000 reward offered for the arrest and conviction of the dynamiters who blew up the Los Angeles Times building, are expected to become involved to a considerable extent in the trial of Darrow.

The matter of the proper persons, to whom the rewards should be paid, has become a puzzling question with rather queer angles. Burns has claimed the rewards because of the arrest by his men of the McNamaras, and he has employed Assistant District Attorney Ford to look to the collection thereof.

Brown, who worked largely under the direction of Ford in the dynamite investigation, has employed Deputy District Attorney Ray Horton to press his claims.

While on the witness stand Wednesday Brown modestly admitted under cross-examination by Chief Counsel Earl Rogers for the defence, that he was the chief factor in uncovering the perpetrators of the Times explosion. Furthermore, Assistant District Attorney Ford announced in the course of the examination that largely because of the insistence of Rogers in getting Brown's part in the investigation into the record that the prosecution was willing to admit the merit of Brown's work.

Partisans of Burns in the matter declared that Wednesday's developments "had made him mad," and that when he took the stand in the Darrow trial he would have some interesting things to tell about the "real inside" of the dynamite conspiracy and who uncovered it.

## WILL BE DEPORTED AFTER SERVING TERM

Chinaman, Caught by Immigration Officer, Will Be Sent Back to States

Vancouver, June 14.—It is against the law for a Chinaman to enter Canada from the United States without paying the head tax, even if he has paid it once before and returned to the States. Ching Wing, alias Wong Quong Yung, a young American-born Chinese who tried to work the gamblers sent to prison for three months by Judge McInnes, and in addition is to be deported on his release.

Immigration Officer William Figg arrested Wing at Hazelton, inside the Canada boundary five weeks ago. Wing was then heading for Vancouver. It was shown that he had got off the train at Blaine and walked over the boundary in his efforts to get into Canada. He produced a set of California papers in an attempt to bluff the officer that it was all right, saying he had lost his Canadian papers.

To Malcolm R. J. Reid, immigration inspector, Ching afterwards admitted that he was born in California, had come to Canada nine years ago, paying \$150 head tax, and after four years in Cranbrook and Vancouver had gone back to the States.

His Honor Judge McInnes said that the man's act in getting off the train at Blaine and walking over the boundary showed that he appreciated the fact that he had forfeited his right of living in Canada. He ordered that he be kept in prison for three months from the date of his arrest, and afterwards be deported to the United States.

### SCORES PRESIDENT TAFT.

Washington, D. C., June 14.—Charging that President Taft had misused the \$25,000 travelling expense fund voted yearly by congress, Chairman Fitzgerald, of the House appropriation committee, yesterday bitterly attacked the president during consideration of the civil appropriations bill.

"It is deplorable," he said, "to have to state these facts to this House and to this country."

### NEW LAW COURTS.

Winnipeg, Man., June 14.—The provincial government yesterday awarded the contract for the construction of the magnificent new law courts to be situated on the northwest corner of Kennedy and Broadway, to the National Construction company. The amount of the successful tender was \$760,000. The work on the new building will be started at once.

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Seattle, Wash., June 13.—The body of Benjamin C. Ashworth, a veteran porter of numerous hotels throughout the state, was found Wednesday night in room 139 of the Hotel Alpin, King street and Maynard avenue. Death had resulted from strangulation. A pair of socks was tightly jammed in the man's mouth and he was bound hand and foot with a rope looped about his head and throat. The

body was clad in nightclothes and lay apparently undisturbed beneath the covers. If a struggle occurred between Ashworth and an assailant, the signs of combat were carefully concealed. If Ashworth was murdered, as the police believe, it is thought that he may have been gagged while sleeping Tuesday night or early Wednesday. The rope which held the gas drawn tightly around the head and neck, and the police do not think that Ashworth

could have drawn the rope with his own hands. Ashworth's hands were by his side in a natural position, which would not have been the case had he adjusted and tightened the noose himself. The motive for murder, if any existed, the police believe to be robbery.

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### SIR RICHARD M'BRIDE.

The announcement that the name of Hon. Richard McBride was included among those who were recipients of His Majesty's birthday honors—though it did not come in the nature of a surprise—will be received with sincere gratification throughout the province. The order conferred upon Premier McBride is the knighthood of St. Michael and St. George, an honor which was instituted in 1818 and for the last 40 years has been conferred upon overseas statesmen whom the King deigns to honor.

While the Times is politically opposed to Sir Richard McBride and all his political ways, it tenders its congratulations without any mental reservation. The Times does not worship titles or honors, but Sir Richard McBride is the first native son of British Columbia to be recognized, and the happy circumstances which allocate him to that position are felicitous indeed. Sir Richard has been 10 years the Premier of the province and his knighthood was inevitable. We now have a real Sir Knight of our own breeding, and we hasten to make out obeisance.

At the same time there is associated with the new status of Sir Richard a dignity which it will take some of us a few days to become accustomed to. The affectionate diminutive "Our Dick" will have to go. There will be those around the festive board from time to time who will still feel like using it when laying laurels at the feet of the Premier and crowning his silvery head, but these must check themselves and become schooled to the new dignity of their political chief. There can scarcely be expected the same camaraderie as has existed between the Premier and his bosom friends for a decade, for a knighthood carries with it dignity in the private as well as the official and public relations of men. The obligation to conduct themselves with becoming regard to the unwritten traditions respecting knights and knighthoods will be awkward for Sir Richard's friends—at least for a time—but they will all accustom themselves to their new status and will doubtless all be happier for it.

The province of British Columbia is also to be congratulated in that it now stands on a level with the other provinces whose premiers have received the Kingly recognition.

### VAGARIES OF PROTECTION.

The suspension of the tariff on cement entering Canada from the United States directs attention to the vagaries of the theory of protection. Some of the efforts of protectionist journals to reconcile the suspension with the practice of protection are amusing if not instructive. Though the suspension of the regular schedule is only for a brief period, the question naturally asked is "Why protect at all?" It is this rational question which the Toronto World endeavors to answer when it says that "protection should protect" and not be imposed—when the country levying duties does not produce the dutiable goods—excepting for revenue only. This is good free trade doctrine, and is worth repeating. The World article argues:

"The Ontario consumer of anthracite coal pays no duty because it is recognized that the imposition of such a duty would be a mere arbitrary tax upon a necessity of life. We have no anthracite coal in Canada and no protection is therefore needed. The consumer of bituminous coal, round and run of mine, in Ontario pays the heavy duty of 45 to 53 cents per ton. This constitutes a toll upon industry which requires the levying of other customs duties to compensate the manufacturer. It also constitutes a heavy tax upon an article which must be used by every family, however poor."

"This duty on soft coal must certainly be levied for purposes of protection and not for purposes of revenue, for otherwise hard coal would not be on the free list. But we can get no Canadian coal in Ontario and the Canadian coal industry is not benefited by the customs duties upon soft coal collected from the people of this province. Not

a ton of Nova Scotia coal is carried by the Intercolonial railway except for its own consumption.

"When the western coal mines were idle, and therefore not in competition with United States coal in the prairie provinces, the government suspended the coal duties in these provinces, recognizing that their collection would be a mere tax serving no protective purpose."

"A duty levied to raise revenue is one thing and a duty levied to protect an industry is another. Where the duty is for protection, then that duty should not be collected in sections of the country where its collections will not benefit in the slightest the Canadian industry sought to be protected."

"Coal is an article in the tariff schedule which the Ontario people know a great deal about; other articles upon which duties are levied for protective purposes in the west are not really protected, and the duties on these articles degenerate, in that section of the country, into a mere arbitrary tax."

"The progressive policies, which should be applied in administering the sound principle of protection will guard against such injustice and see to it that protection does protect."

It is not easy to discern either the drift or the object of the argument in the last paragraph, unless it is the "thin end of the wedge" advocating the removal of duty on soft coal going into Ontario. But it is instructive as defining somewhat the objects of the protective tariffs and the ideas prevalent among protectionists regarding the purpose for which duties should be levied. Stripped of all its verbiage, the argument simply means that manufacturers of agricultural and other implements in Canada should be protected against the competition of foreign manufactures, but that other sections of the country should be treated according to their several needs. Duties levied in sections of the country where certain articles are not produced "degenerate into a mere arbitrary tax." In other words the protective tariff is good for some people and bad for other people. It is good for the "interests" because it enables them to enrich themselves at the expense of their customers who are fleeced because they are shut in from the competitive production of outsiders and must pay the price asked from the "protected" industries. It is bad for people who have to pay duty on things not produced in the particular "section" of the country where they reside, because nobody is "protected" by this additional tax on what the consumer uses.

Protection undoubtedly works a great injustice and "degenerates into a mere arbitrary tax" on the vast majority of the people of Canada. Freer trade and reduced tariffs—all round—could work harm to nobody excepting the "interests" who have elected the government to see that their special protection is maintained. It is refreshing to find so thorough-paced a high protection newspaper as the Toronto World confessing that protection is illogical in principle and unjust in effect. When this fact dawns on the electorate of Canada, the day of protection for the special interests will be over and high tariffs will have to go.

### HORSE OR MOTOR.

The motor vehicle is rapidly displacing the horse from his quondam place as the indispensable servant of man. So great is the advantage of motor propelled vehicles over the cart or car drawn by the quadruped, that in many of the larger American and British cities the horse is a curiosity in the down-town sections where the freight drays crowd the thoroughfares. In London, where the world's greatest street traffic prevails, the number of horses used has fallen from 450,000 to 110,000 during the last six years. In New York there are in daily service about 140,000 horses hauling loads, the more rapid and heavy deliveries being made by the machine vehicles. What is true of these two big cities is in a similar degree true of smaller places, and those in touch with the situation predict that in a few years the delivery of truck horse will cease to be a factor in the streets of our cities.

In the United States the yearly output of the factories producing automobiles and delivery trucks now reaches a value of \$275,000,000, and the orders for trucks and drays will be doubled for the next year. In Great Britain the production has not yet caught up with these figures, but the historic thoroughfares are giving evidences that the contest between the horse and the machine cannot be misjudged as to the ultimate result.

One of the factors which enters largely into the development of the prevailing conditions is the increasing cost of the horse and the increase in the cost of his up-keep. In contrast with this is the continual decline in cost of production of automobiles and motors, with a corresponding reduction of the cost of the oils supplying motive power. To such an unequal warfare there can be but one end; the practical extinction of the horse as a beast of burden. The passing of the horse as a useful servant in dray work will not be regretted by those who are of humane instincts, though much of the romance will be taken out of life.

### THE NICK OF TIME.

Arthur Hawkes, the "British-born" admiral of his untutored fellows at large in Canada, knows how to seize the exact psychological moment. In the current number of his paper he

says: "The time has come for men to declare where they stand in relation to a Canadian navy, and to the government's attitude to that question. I am for a navy to be built harmoniously with the plans of the British navy, not to be a mere creature of Whitehall, but to be part of the Imperial fleet in time of war." Note, gentle reader, that Arthur says "the time has come for men to declare where they are," etc. Therefore Arthur is "there" with the declaration. Many people who know Arthur will wonder why he waited so long to declare "where he is" on the navy question. Now that the sentiment of Canada has been stirred to revolt under the procrastinating policy of Hon. R. L. Borden, Arthur thinks it is safe for him to have an opinion, and he spreads his sail to the wind already blowing a boisterous breeze. Arthur will fool none but the British-born.

The expectation that Mr. Bonar Law, the British Conservative leader, would address a series of meetings in Canada in opposition to Home Rule for Ireland will not be realized. Mr. Law states that he has made no arrangements for such a tour. Had the report proved true, it would have been an interesting innovation that might have constituted a precedent for others, for although British public men have come here frequently and spoken on semi-public topics, and even political questions affecting the Empire, none had come as a party propagandist. The Montreal Herald suggests there is no doubt Mr. Law would have been given a cordial welcome, but he might have found little sympathy for the views he enunciates. Canadians have had too long and too beneficent an experience of the advantages that Home Rule has conferred to give their adhesion to a policy that would deny self-government to any other section of the Empire, least of all to a country that has long suffered from chronic grievances that have retarded her progress.

Instead of the Australian fleet being merged into the British fleet, the Admiralty is going to augment the Australian fleet by lending it the cruiser Encounter. She is to be commissioned with specially qualified officers and a nucleus crew that she may be used as a training ship. In a most significant note the Admiralty add that this ship will continue to aid in the development of the Australian fleet by every means in her power. The Australian Admiralty is to be given control over a British cruiser. Possibly not only in time of peace, for there is no statement that she is to be sent back in time of danger, but to add to their small navy and help to make of it a fighting unit.

### ANOTHER CALF.

From Judge.  
Ex-Gov. Gillett, of California, at a dinner in San Francisco recently was praising the gift of reprieve which most women possess.

"Against this quick-wittedness," he said, "we men are powerless. Even when the logic and common sense of a situation are on our side, a woman will, with some quick flash of speech put us to shame—out us entirely."

"As an instance, a man whom I knew was very much displeased because his wife had bought a few puffs of false hair. He concocted a little scheme to make a telling expression of his disapproval, and hid in the hall one day when his better half was getting ready to make some calls."

"Just as the obnoxious puffs were being adjusted he darted into his wife's room."

"'Emmeline,' he exclaimed in a voice of stern reproach, 'why under the heavens do you put this hair on another woman—possibly a dead one—on your head?'"

"Why," answered his wife, "do you wear the skin of another calf—surely a dead one—on your hands?"

### THE BORE'S COMEBACK.

From the Saturday Post.  
James Keeley, editorial manager of the Chicago Tribune, and with that paper for twenty years or more, tells his secretary to say to bothersome callers that he is in the pressroom and cannot come up for an hour or two.

The secretary told a particular bore one day that Mr. Keeley was in the Tribune pressroom conferring with the pressmen and could not be disturbed.

Twenty minutes later, the bore came back.

"I want to see Mr. Keeley," he announced.

"But Mr. Keeley is in the pressroom and cannot come up," insisted the secretary. "No, he isn't," said the bore. "I went down to the pressroom and nobody there ever heard of him."

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EVERY one of our Coats is included in this sale. Mothers who would like smart coats for their girls will find this to be, by far, the best opportunity of the season. There are hundreds of different styles, colors and materials to choose from, and all sizes are included. See the showing in the View street windows, and you'll agree that it's the finest that you have seen for a very long time. Serges, fancy worsteds, tweeds, plain cloths, pongees and many other materials are here, so you'll have no difficulty in finding a style and a price that will please both you and the child. Such low prices as these should command a rapid sale, so it's advisable to shop early.

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## The Women's Underwear Department

SOFT COTTON COMBINATIONS—These garments have low neck, short or no sleeves, are loose at the knee and are trimmed with lace and cotton crochet. Trimmed with heading and drawstring at the neck. Per garment ..... 65¢  
WOMEN'S COMBINATIONS with short or no sleeves. The necks are low and are finished with heading and drawstring. They are tight at the knee and represent a splendid value at, per garment 75¢  
FINE POROUS BALBRIGGAN VESTS—These are full fashioned, have low neck and short sleeves. Just the class of garment that most women like best. Per garment ..... 50¢  
BALBRIGGAN MESH VESTS with short or no sleeves, and trimmed with heading and drawstring at the neck. Per garment ..... 35¢  
FINE SOFT COTTON VESTS, low necks, short or no sleeves, and finished with fancy crochet and lace tops. Per garment 25¢ and ..... 35¢  
WOMEN'S MERCERIZED VESTS, with low necks, short or no sleeves, good large sizes, and extra long. Finished with fancy tops. Per garment 35¢

## SAURDAY THERE WILL BE A RAPID Sale of Dress Fabrics

THE PRICES ARE TOO EASY TO BE RESISTED.  
Just seven different lines and every one a splendid bargain. They are the finest products of orth of England mills, and are a quality that you can positively depend on.  
CREAM LUSTRE, 42 inches wide, is selling at, per yard ..... 50¢  
CREAM LUSTRE—This is an excellent quality, and is 44 inches wide. Per yard ..... \$1.00  
CREAM WOOL TAFFETA, a fine value, 44 inches wide. Per yard ..... 75¢  
CREAM SERGE, 42 inches wide, is selling at, per yard ..... 50¢  
CREAM HERRINGBONE SERGE, 54 inches wide, is here at, per yard ..... \$1.50  
CREAM SUITING SERGE—A heavy quality, 54 inches wide. Per yard ..... \$2.00

## You Can Still Buy \$35 to \$45.00 Summer Costumes at \$19.75



IT is really a hopeless task trying to convey to your mind, in a few printed words, or even the use of many good illustrations, the many graces and charms that are embodied in these beautiful garments. The number of different materials, the refined patterns and colors are other obstacles to prevent an adequate description, but they are all points that a particular woman takes into consideration. Every woman loves a smart costume, but the trouble lays in the fact that the best models are usually out of the reach of the great mass, but here's an opportunity for you to indulge without feeling that you are extravagant.

Both plain tailored and fancy styles are here. All sizes, and there's no reason why you shouldn't get a garment that will more than please you.

## Flannelette Sheets, Quilts and Comforters

PRICES THAT SHOULD PLEASE THRIFTY HOUSEKEEPERS.

FLANNELETTE SHEETS—These are neatly hemmed, are a very fine grade and are finished with blue or pink borders. 12-4 size is marked at \$1.95; 11-4 size is \$1.50 a pair, and 10-4 size at ..... \$1.25  
HONEYCOMB QUILTS—We purchased the entire stock of one manufacturer, and got these quilts at an advantageous price, or we couldn't sell them at such a small price. Here are just a few that we have marked extra low for to-day's selling.  
50 only, three-quarter size. Regular \$2.25 value for ..... \$1.50  
40 only, full double bed size. Regular \$2.50 value for ..... \$1.75  
A few, extra large size, in a heavy quality and fringed all round. These are a fine value and should sell rapidly at, each ..... \$2.50  
GREEN QUILTS—These are suitable for single beds, are easy to wash, durable and always have a neat appearance. Price each ..... \$1.25  
WOOL FILLED COMFORTERS—Many different colors and patterns to choose from. They are filled with sanitary cotton wool. Size 72x72 inches. Special for to-day ..... \$1.50

## Our Saturday's Hosiery Specials Should Draw a Crowd

WOMEN'S COTTON HOSE in all sizes and in colors black, tan and white. They are full fashioned and the dyes are fast. Per pr 25¢  
WOMEN'S LISLE THREAD HOSE in sizes 11½ to 9. They come in a variety of colors. Saturday's special, 3 pairs for ..... \$1.00  
SILK LISLE HOSE FOR WOMEN—These come in sizes from 8½ to 10 and in colors black, tan, and white. A very fine grade, stainless dyes, and full fashioned. Pair 50¢  
PLAIN CASHMERE HOSE, full fashioned and are to be had in sizes 8½ to 10. Saturday's special, 3 pairs for ..... \$1.00  
BOYS AND GIRLS' HOSE—These are ribbed cotton hose, in colors black, tan and white. They come in sizes from 6 to 10½. Pair 25¢  
MISSIE'S LISLE RIBBED HOSE in colors tan, white, pink, blue and black. Sizes 8½ to 8½. Per pair on Saturday ..... 35¢  
MISSIE'S LISLE LACE HOSE in colors black, tan and white. Sizes 5 to 8½. Per pair 35¢

## A Big Book Sale

MANY VOLUMES THAT WERE PUBLISHED AT \$1.50 AND \$1.25 ARE NOW MARKED AT 60¢.

Here are a few of the titles that were chosen at random from hundreds:  
Song of the Wolf, by Frank Mayer.  
Island of Enchantment, by J. M. Forman.  
The Price, by Francis Lynde.  
Dazzling Miss Davison, by Florence Warden.  
Person of Some Importance, by Lloyd Osbourne.  
Mr. Ingleside, by E. V. Lucas.  
Sixes and Sevens, by O. Henry.  
Dead Man's Love, by Tom Garton.  
Justice of the King, by Hamilton Drummond.  
South Seas Tales, by Jack London.  
Eve's Second Husband, by Corra Harris.  
Members of the Family, by Wister.  
Woman Haters, by Joseph C. Lincoln.  
Flamsted Quarries, by Mary E. Waller.  
Right Stuff, by Ian Hay.  
Nathan Burke, by Mary S. Watts.  
Handicap, by Robert E. Knowles.  
One of the Family, by Keble Howard.  
Our Flat, by R. Androm.  
Prairie Courtship, by Harold Bindless.  
Lighted Match, by Charles Neville Buck.  
Jim of the Rangers, by G. B. Lancaster.  
Skipper and the Skipped, by Holman Day.  
Golden Web, by Anthony Partridge.

### USEFUL COOK BOOKS.

Cassels' Cook Book ..... 35¢  
New Galt Cook Book ..... 50¢  
White House Cook Book ..... 75¢  
Mrs. Beeton's "All About Cookery" 85¢  
Canada's Favorite Cook Book ..... \$1.00  
Mrs. Beeton's Every Day Cookery \$1.25  
Mrs. Beeton's Household Management. Price ..... \$2.00  
Mrs. Lincoln's Boston Cook Book \$2.00

## Silks at Prices That Will Create a Big Demand

SPECIALS FOR THE JUNE SALE.

Notice the price reductions and compare the quantities with those that are sold at the regular prices, and you'll see why the demand is so great. The goods tell their own story best, and if you are planning for a new dress, or blouse, you'll be keenly interested in the showing.

CREAM CHIFFON TAFFETAS, 40 inches wide and a grade that sells regularly at \$1.50. Sale price to-day ..... \$1.00  
CREAM PALETTE, 40 inches wide and our regular \$2 value. Sale price to-day ..... \$1.50  
CREAM ORIENTAL SATIN, 40 inches wide. We have been selling this grade at \$2 a yard and considered it a good value. However, the balance of our stock will be cleared at \$1.00  
CREAM SATIN CASHMERE, 42 inches wide, and is our regular \$3.50 value. June sale price is ..... \$2.50  
BLACK CHIFFON TAFFETA, 20 inches wide, and our regular 50¢ value. Sale price 37½¢  
BLACK PEAU DE SOIE, 20 inches wide. Regular \$1.25 values will be sold for ..... \$1.00  
BLACK MESSALINE, 40 inches wide. A grade that we can recommend. Regular \$2 value. Sale price ..... \$1.25

## Interesting Items From the Hair Dept.

The hair department is now situated next to the women's underwear department on the second floor. Of course, there are many more items that should interest you, but here are four that we have chosen at random.

HAIR ROLLS in the pompadour style. They come in light, medium, and dark browns and range in price from 25¢ down to ..... 15¢  
HAIR SWITCHES in all shades of brown, are real hair and an excellent quality. The prices start at \$15 and range down to \$1.50  
HAIR NETS in dark, medium and light browns. Price each 5¢, or six nets for ..... 25¢  
HAIR NETS WITH ELASTIC, in all shades of brown. They are a reliable quality, and cost no more than the average. Price each 5¢, or six nets for ..... 25¢

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**BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY**

**Streets Committee.**—The weekly meeting of the streets committee will be held this afternoon, and the city engineer will have a number of matters to present to the aldermen.

**"Sepias"**—Soft, delicate, refined. The last word in high grade photography. The Skene Lowe studio, Douglas and Yates.

**Sketching Class Opening.**—The Sketching Class of the Island Arts and Crafts Club is requested to meet the 2:35 o'clock Cook street car to-morrow afternoon, in order to make the rendezvous at the top of Gonzales hill, where some excellent studies of rocks and trees may be obtained.

**Contractors, Look!**—CHOICE FIR DOORS, WINDOWS, GLASS, etc., in stock. R. A. Green & Co. Phone R1998. Shop on Flaggard near Cook. Estimates free.

**Strawberry Festival.**—Under the direction of the Women's Mission Circle a strawberry and ice cream festival will be held in the First Baptist church building on Tuesday evening. A musical programme is in preparation and friends are requested to remember the date.

**S. P. C. A.**—Cases of cruelty, phone, Inspector Russell, 1921; secretary, L1732.

**Medical Officer's Car.**—The offending inscription has been removed from the car recently purchased for the city medical officer of health, and the letters "V. H. D." substituted. This is in accordance with the recommendation to the health and morals committee by the city council at the last meeting.

**Hanna & Thomson, Pandora Ave.**—Leading funeral furnishing house. Connections, Vancouver, New Westminster and Winnipeg.

**Reception to Pastor.**—A reception will be tendered Rev. Mr. Robinson, the new pastor, and family on Tuesday evening next, in the church at 8 o'clock. A splendid musical programme has been arranged. Addresses of welcome will also be given, at the conclusion of which refreshments will be served. A hearty invitation is extended to the general public.

**Money to Loan.**—We have money to loan at 5% interest on improved city residence property on easy repayment terms. Builders will do well to inquire. The B. C. Permanent Loan Co., 1210 Government St.

**Building Permits.**—Building permits have been taken out for three frame buildings on Oliver street, seven rooms, each costing \$2,500; G. C. Hurst, for a five-roomed house on Wildwood avenue, costing \$1,800; Mrs. M. Campbell, for a garage on Wilson street; R. A. Bainbridge, for a frame house with concrete foundation, seven rooms, on Chester street, costing \$4,000; and to S. Warren for a four-roomed house on Forbes street, costing \$1,500.

**Ladies' Tailor.**—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, room 6, Haynes Bldg., Fort street.

**Commission Awarded.**—Commission at five per cent. on \$240,000, the value of the mill and on the value of the lumber to be determined by the registrar, has been awarded by Mr. Justice Gregory in the action of Merritt against Corbould. The plaintiff went to England at the time the lumber business in the province was poor and arranged the sale of a mill and lumber on the mainland for the defendants. When the sale was about complete and a deposit paid, the plaintiff was notified by wire that the deal would not go through as the owners would not sell. He sued and the case has been heard at inter-vals for eighteen months. One of the defendants, Sir Charles H. Tupper, is by the judgment to be identified by the other defendants. Costs follow the verdict.

**Justices of the Peace Resigned.**—The resignations of Joseph W. Ross, of Waldo, and C. G. Davidson, of Notch Hill, as justices of the peace, have been accepted, so the B. C. Gazette announces.

**Hotel Balmoral.**—View, Douglas and Fort streets, under new management, newly renovated throughout. Rooms single or en suite. Moderate rates.

**Woman's Auxiliary to Missions.**—A business meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to Missions will be held in the cathedral schoolroom on Monday, June 17th at 3 p. m., and after this date there will be no more meetings until next September.

**Meet me at the Bismarck.**

**Appel Court.**—Judgment has been received in the appeal brought in The King Lumber Company against C. P. R. The defendants appealed from a judgment given plaintiff company for damages by fire alleged to have been started by the defendant's servants.

**If you want your home made clean and sweet.** Phone 26 for the Dustless Vacuum Cleaner. We take stains out of carpets. H. Mercer, 1603 Jubilee St.

**Extra-Provincial Companies.**—Licenses have been issued to the Guardian Accident & Guarantee Company and the John D. Ivey Company, Ltd. The following extra-provincial companies have received certificates of registration: General Financial Corporation of Canada, and the Seattle Cedar Lumber Manufacturing Company.

**"Nag" Roof Compositions** will stop leaks and add years to the life of an old roof. See Newton & Greer Co., 1328 Wharf street.

**Trip in Levant.**—As a member of the Archaeological Institute of America, Superintendent of Schools E. R. Paul has been invited to join the institute in the trip of the steam yacht Athena, the cruise of which begins in Naples on August 29th and ends at Venice on October 9th, under the management of the Bureau of University Travel. Most of the places famous in ancient song and story of the eastern Mediterranean will be visited.

**Auto and Taxi.**—Cab stand, good cars, good service, all hours. Corner Fort and Douglas Streets. Phone 2210.

**Street Car Damages Automobile.**—An Esquimalt street car came into collision this morning accidentally with the automobile of J. T. L. Meyer, who was leaving his residence on the Esquimalt road, near the intersection of Fraser street, for the city. The accident occurred about 10 o'clock, and as far as anyone, the automobile was damaged, though not seriously, and Mr. Meyer shaken up. He accordingly rested during the day at home. He expects to be at business to-morrow.

**Sale of Work.**—The St. John's branch of the Girls' W. A. will hold a sale of work; also a table of home-made cookies, Thursday, June 13, from 7 to 10 p. m., in St. John's S.S. room. Ice cream and cake will be sold.

**The Allen Players.**—The pathetic story of Zaza, the wronged heroine of Belasco's great drama, will be told upon the stage of the Victoria theatre on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights next week by Verna Felton, She, with the Allen Players, are to be at the Victoria theatre all summer performing in stock, and the management announces the opening play to be "Zaza." Miss Felton has appeared over one hundred times as ZAZA, offering now a finished production that has won great praise from the critics. Irving Kennedy will appear as Bernard Dufrene. The Allen Players are accompanied by the Royal Hungarian String Quartette, for orchestral purposes, the string music provided being on their native instruments, being a great feature.

**TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY**

(Times, June 14, 1887.)

The first steamer from China, the Abyssinia, which passed up the Straits to Vancouver on Monday afternoon, did not call at Victoria notwithstanding she had on board a large quantity of freight for this port. The "cut direct" which our city has received on the occasion of the arrival of the first vessel has given rise to a decided feeling of hostility to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, which is openly charged with a desire to benefit the sister city of Vancouver at the expense of the chief commercial port of Canada on the Pacific.

The duck house of Pilot Thompson, James Bay, was entered Sunday night and eight young ducks, the entire lot, that had been carefully raised to a goodly size, stolen. The affair is receiving attention from the proper quarter and it is to be hoped the thief or thieves will be nabbed.

His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Nelson will leave for Harrison Hot Springs to-morrow morning and will spend several weeks there for the benefit of his health. Mrs. Nelson and Mr. Herbert Stanton, private secretary, will accompany him.

Premier Davie has so far recovered as to be able to visit his office yesterday.

What is believed to be an important gold discovery has been made on Wild Horse creek.

**Mr. Maber Leaves.**

Samuel Maber, of the department of the interior, who is on the coast to look into the question of squatters' rights in the railway belt, left for the mainland last night, accompanied by F. J. Mackenzie, M. P. While here Mr. Maber interviewed Premier McBride, Hon. W. R. Ross and officials of the land department.

**Four Per Cent.**—You can deposit your money at 4 per cent. interest with The B. C. Permanent Loan Company and be able to withdraw the total amount or any portion thereof without notice. Cheques are supplied to each depositor. Paid-up capital over \$1,000,000, assets over \$2,000,000, assets over \$2,000,000. Branch office, 1210 Government St., Victoria, B. C.

**New Funeral Parlors.**—M. C. Sands, who has been for the last two years manager for Mr. W. R. Smith, of the Victoria undertaking parlors, has severed his connection with this firm. Mr. Sands, in connection with W. N. Fulton (recently of Calgary, Alta.), will shortly open new funeral parlors in the city at 1515 Quadra street, to be known as Sands & Fulton.

For your taxicabs phone 121.

**Fishing Limits.**—The following notice appears in the B. C. Gazette over the signature of F. H. Cunningham, Dominion chief inspector of fisheries in the provinces: "Take notice that, by virtue of section 17 of the Fisheries Act, I hereby define the following as the tidal limits of the estuaries for fishing purposes at Saanich Arm and Cowichan Bay. For Saanich Arm, a line drawn from Hatch Point to James Point. For Cowichan Bay, a line drawn from Separation Point to Cowichan Head."

**Boy Scouts' Entertainment.**—The Second Troop of the Victoria Boy Scouts will give an entertainment on Wednesday next in Christ Church schoolhouse, Quadra street, at 8.15 p. m. On the following Friday the show will be repeated at St. Luke's parish hall, Cedar Hill. It is hoped that a good attendance will be extended in both places. The proceeds are to be devoted to the troop camp fund for this year. The programme as hereby shown is to be an excellent one and well worth seeing. The principal parts will be taken by the officers of the troop, who as all Scouts and many others well known have established a name for acting. They further, all held principal parts in the "Cruise of the Hildegarde," which went off so well last winter. It is indeed hoped that the public will patronize this show and thereby help the troop to go to their camp.

Miss Verna Felton and The Allen Players will open at the Victoria Theatre Monday for the summer with two shows a week. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday "Zaza" will be presented. Summer prices.

**W. C. T. U. MEETING.**

Adjourned Annual Gathering Held Yesterday—Delegates to the Provincial Convention.

The adjourned annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held yesterday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium, the president, Mrs. Williscroft, in the chair, when a number of important reports were submitted and several other matters were brought up for discussion. Thirteen of the twenty-one delegates who are to be sent from Victoria to the annual provincial convention, which opens in Vancouver the week after next, were appointed, these being Mrs. Williscroft, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Christie, Miss W. Bromley-Jubb, Miss Copeland, Mrs. Grogan, Mrs. Cochenour, Miss Elliott, Mrs. Dorman, Miss Gidley, Mrs. Meston, Mrs. Hatt and Mrs. Vey.

A letter was read by the president from Mrs. Gordon Grant, resigning her office as vice-president to which she was appointed at the previous meeting. Mrs. Frank Andrews being named for the office, and the meeting expressing its regret that Mrs. Grant was unable to continue the work. The appointment for a treasurer was postponed until a future meeting. Miss Bromley-Jubb being re-elected as recording-secretary. The following other appointments were made: Executive superintendent, Miss Copeland; missionary superintendent, Mrs. McAdam; auditors, Mrs. William Grant and Mrs. Gordon Grant.

Mrs. William Grant read her annual report as treasurer of the mission, showing that the total receipts for the year amounted to \$3,388.50, the total expenditure, \$3,108.02, leaving a balance of \$280.48. The sum of \$3,000 had already been paid toward the new property on the corner of Government and Pandora avenue, this property being valued at \$50,000.

The annual report of the Men's mission was submitted by Mrs. Johnson, who referred to the growth of the work in that department, and told how, when two years ago the mission was erected, the W. C. T. U. felt confident that it would meet the needs of the organization for this work for many years, but already the work had grown to such dimensions that they were unable to give help to all those who went to them. Mrs. Johnson also spoke gratefully of the splendid voluntary help which had been given from time to time by the young people's societies in the churches throughout the city.

**WEATHER BULLETIN.**

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, June 14—6 a. m.—The pressure is rising on the coast, but a vast area of low pressure, central in Alberta, covers the prairie provinces and the American western states from the Rockies to the Great Lakes and the lower Mississippi valley. Rainfall has been very general on the Pacific slope and in Alberta, and temperatures are moderate.

Forecasts.  
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Saturday.  
Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh southerly and westerly winds, generally fair and cool.  
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy and cool.

Reports at 5 a. m.  
Victoria—Barometer, 29.95; temperature, 49; minimum, 48; wind, 16 miles W.; rain, 14; weather, part cloudy.  
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles S.W.; rain, 39; weather, rain.  
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.66; temperature, 54; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.  
Barkerville—Barometer, 29.72; temperature, 42; minimum, 40; wind, calm; rain, 12; weather, part cloudy.  
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 54; minimum, 52; wind, 10 miles N.W.; weather, clear.  
Edmonton—Barometer, 29.46; temperature, 54; minimum, 52; wind, 8 miles N.W.; rain, 62; weather, part cloudy.  
Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.62; temperature, 62; minimum, 56; wind, 10 miles E.; rain, 91; weather, clear.

**Victoria Daily Weather.**

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m. Thursday.

Temperature.  
Highest ..... 63  
Lowest ..... 52  
Average ..... 57  
Rain, .14 inch.  
Bright sunshine, 2 hours 56 minutes.  
General state of weather, showery.

**SUPERINTENDENTS AND ACT.**

Superintendent Paul Will Not Discuss W. P. Argue's Resignation—Cause of Trouble.

When the amendment of the public school act was passing through the legislature at the last session the Times took occasion to refer to the legislation against certain individuals, which the bill incorporated in its provisions, and particularly against superintendents of city schools, the number of which by the circumstances of

**Ribbon and Glove Feast For To-day and To-morrow**

RICH SILK TAFFETA RIBBONS, also some Mousseline Ribbons in hair ribbon widths. Regular, per yard, 25c, 30c, 35c and 45c. Special sale price, per yard, 18c

**PERRINS GLOVES, 2 Pairs For 45c**

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# News of Sport

## RAIN STOPPED THE BUSY BEES BUZZ

### ONE GAME ONLY IN NORTHWEST LEAGUE

#### Portland With Eleven Hits and Five Runs Took First Game From Spokane

The "fan" was practically idle yesterday. One look at the bulletin boards where "rain" stared him in the face and Mr. Fan departed feeling vengeful to J. Pluvius, who slipped a cog at two cities. There was only one game in the Northwest league, between Spokane and Portland, with the following result:

Spokane, June 13.—Portland came from behind to-day and took its first game of the series from Spokane. Both sides hit freely. Cadreau, for Spokane, went to pieces in the seven. He was replaced by Noyes, who held the visitors safe. In the first inning, after he had cut second base, Cooney talked back to Umpire Van Halten and continued talking back after a five-dollar fine had been assessed. Van Halten then sent him to the clubhouse. The necessary changes in the infield which followed worked to Spokane's disadvantage.

Score:

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Myers, 2b.	3	1	1	6	3	0
Cooney, ss.	2	0	0	0	2	0
Ostidek, 1b.	4	0	1	7	1	0
Johnson, lf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
McChoir, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Wuffli, 3b.	4	0	3	4	3	0
Zimmerman, cf.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Cartwright, ss.	4	0	2	3	0	0
Devost, c.	4	0	1	7	1	0
Cadreau, p.	2	1	0	3	2	0
Noyes, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	2	9	27	16	2

Portland.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Kibble, 3b.	4	1	1	0	1	0
Harris, c.	4	0	0	9	1	0
Cruikshank, lf.	5	2	3	1	1	0
Speas, 2b.	5	1	1	4	2	2
Fries, cf.	3	0	2	0	0	0
Williams, lb.	2	0	1	9	1	0
Smith, rf.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Coltrin, ss.	4	0	1	1	3	0
Tonneson, p.	3	1	1	0	3	0
Totals	34	5	11	27	12	2

Score by innings:  
Spokane, 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2  
Portland, 0 0 1 1 0 0 2 0 5

Summary: Three-base hit—Wuffli. Two-base hit—Cruikshank. Sacrifice hits—Kibble, Williams, Cooney. Base on balls—By Cadreau, 3; by Tonneson, 1. Struck out—By Cadreau, 5; by Tonneson, 8. Stolen bases—Fries, Smith, Myers, Cadreau, Ostidek. Double plays—Cartwright to Ostidek; Cartwright to Myers to Ostidek; Williams to Speas; Coltrin to Speas to Williams. Wild pitch—Cadreau. Hit by pitched ball—Myers by Tonneson. HARRIS pitched five runs, nine hits and Cadreau in 6 1/2 innings. Time—1:47. Umpire—Van Halten.

### BLACK JACK BUSY.

Training Camps for July 4th Fight at Las Vegas Thronged—One Man Sees Chance for Flynn.

Las Vegas, N. M., June 13.—Jack Johnson, went to rounds of boxing yesterday with his trainers, three thousand persons paying fifteen cents per head, witnessing the black champion in his workout.

Harry Willis, a big 220-pound darky from New Orleans, began by sparring three rounds with the champion and Marty Cutler and Calvin Reespass sweated out the remainder of the rounds. Johnson's work was fast throughout and still he was barely puffing at the close.

Flynn, unusually hard the past week and Ryan is more worried about him getting too fine and going stale than he is over the Puebloan not being chieftain by the fourth.

Starting to-day, Ryan will don the gloves and do his first boxing with Flynn. He is anxious to improve the firmness of his defence, being confident that if the white man learns how to cover better he stands practically an even chance of dethroning the negro.

### VALUABLE CLARK.

Vancouver Pitcher Wanted by Eastern Managers Who Are Casting Hooks for Him.

Three major league clubs are anxious for the services of J. J. Clark, Vancouver star pitcher and the leading twirler of the Northwestern League. President Bob Brown of the champion Beavers received a fine offer from the Cincinnati Club, but turned it down because Hank O'Day of the Reds wanted to take the pitcher immediately. St. Louis and Boston are the other clubs who have made offers for Clark, but so far a deal has not been closed. In rejecting the Cincinnati offer, President Brown dropped a good sum, but he preferred to keep the player for the rest of the season rather than deprive the champions of their first twirling pitcher. It is expected that a deal will be consummated within the next week.

## THIRTEEN STRAIGHT FOR RUBE MARQUARD

### Sensational Southpaw Near Chesbro's Pitching Record for the Major Leagues

Rube Marquard, the sensational southpaw, chalked up his thirteenth consecutive victory yesterday when New York defeated Chicago 4-2. In spite of the fact that the Cubs were without the services of Zimmerman and Tinker, who have been suspended for three days by President Lynch, Chicago played a strong game and was in the lead until the eighth. In the first half of that inning Richie collided with Myers at the plate. He was unable to resume and Brown, who went into the box for Chicago, was batted for two runs. The game was officially recorded as Marquard's victory. New York was behind when Shafer batted for Marquard, but when Crandall went in the Giants had forged to the front. The Cubs made their two on Miller's double and Archer's home run. The game was played through a drizzling rain.

The biggest individual feature of the Giants' remarkable string of victories this season has been the brilliant showing of Marquard, who a year ago still was the "eleven thousand dollar lemon." Even after Rube led the National League pitchers last year there were some doubting Thomases who thought his great work was merely a flash in the pan and that this season he would be of little use to McGraw. Marquard's work this year stamps him as one of the most wonderful pitchers the game ever developed and puts him above any other southpaw of modern times. Marquard has won thirteen straight games this season and lost one. The Phillies have fallen before the why-necked Clevelander thrice, the Cubs, Reds and Superbas twice, while the other three teams have each been defeated once. Marquard is rapidly approaching the modern record for consecutive victories held by Jack Chesbro and Ed Reulbach. Chesbro won fourteen games in a row for the Highlanders in 1904, and Reulbach of the Cubs duplicated the feat five years later. In the fourteen games Marquard has been in this season he has yielded only twenty-two runs. He might have done better had he tried. In only three games was he pressed to win—on May 16, when he beat O'Toole in a pitchers' battle, four days later when he defeated Fromme, 3 to 0, and yesterday. Marquard has adopted Mathewson's tactics of taking things easy when he has a big lead and is not putting all he has on the ball except when danger threatens.

Here is Marquard's brilliant pitching record for the season.

Date	Team	Score
April 11	Brooklyn	18 to 3
April 16	Boston	8 to 2
April 20	Brooklyn	11 to 3
April 24	Philadelphia	11 to 3
May 1	Philadelphia	11 to 4
May 3	Philadelphia	16 to 8
May 7	St. Louis	16 to 2
May 11	Chicago	10 to 3
May 15	Pittsburgh	4 to 3
May 20	Cincinnati	3 to 0
May 24	Brooklyn	6 to 3
May 28	Philadelphia	7 to 1
June 1	St. Louis	5 to 2
June 8	Cincinnati	6 to 2
June 12	Chicago	3 to 2

Marquard relieved Tesreau, who received credit for the victory.  
Marquard was retired by Druke in the eighth inning. Four runs were made off Druke.  
Marquard pitched the ninth inning, retiring side in order. Game was lost by Mathewson.

## SAN DIEGO-HONOLULU RACE NEXT TUESDAY

### Natoosh, Seafarer, Hawaii and Lurline Waiting in Southern Waters to Start

San Francisco, Cal., June 14.—Local yachtsmen are looking forward with interest to the race from San Diego to Honolulu, now that L. A. Norris has decided to enter his schooner Seafarer. Norris was persuaded by the southern yachting enthusiasts to reconsider his decision of not participating in the race, and when Captain Ashe wired the entry of Nautoosh in the event, the San Francisco skipper made up his mind to try for honors.

The race will be contested by four boats, each from a widely separated district. The San Diego Yacht Club has entered the schooner Lurline, which held the record for the trip to Honolulu until the Hawaii recently crossed the ocean in eighteen days. The Hawaii will represent the Hawaiian Yacht Club.

Norris will take his Seafarer to San Diego during the week and the British Columbia entry is already on her way. The new date of the race is Tuesday, June 18. The Seafarer was built in the State of Maine, the Nautoosh in Seattle, the Lurline by Capt. Matthew Turner in Benicia and the Hawaii in Honolulu. Captain Ashe is a member of the Victoria Yacht Club.

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## BELIEVE BARRY IS BEST AS SCULLER

### ENGLISHMEN SAY THAT ARNST HAS NO STYLE

#### But Just the Same They Admit He Can Pull His Shell Some Through Water

In a recent issue the Pall Mall Gazette has the following to say about Dick Arnst, the celebrated oarsman, who is to compete against Ernest Barry, the English sculler, very shortly.

About seven or eight years ago practically all Australia was talking about the wonderful performance which had been accomplished in the great cycling race from Warrambool to Melbourne, the principal "road" event of the year, by the New Zealander, Jack Arnst, who, pedalling his way to victory from the scratch mark, had set up what was said to be a world's record for the distance, 168 miles. The name Arnst has loomed large in the records of Australia sport ever since.

The hero of that day was one of a band of brothers who had invaded the Commonwealth and who took a leading part in the efforts which were then being made to revive interest in a sport that was almost moribund. The chief of these efforts was the institution of a race known as the "Sydney Thousand," a track event of one mile, for which the total prize money was £1,000. This contest naturally drew nearly all the cyclists in Australia, and it was as the winner of the first prize of £750 that the present world's champion sculler, Dick Arnst, first became known to many. Many surprising stories are told in connection with this race, one of them being that practically all the field except Arnst and two or three others were "in the bag," but certain it is that when the final lap came along Dick, who was on a comparatively long mark, simply bolted, and could not be caught.

Forsake the Cycle.  
This performance forced attention on him, and certain wealthy men, having been greatly impressed by his splendid development, a suggestion was made that he should forsake the wheel for the scull. Dick consented, and then commenced the long course of instruction and training that was eventually to make of him a world's champion. But it was no light task, and there was many a ducking before even reasonable progress was made. A leading Australian weekly used regularly to inform its readers that "Dick Arnst has fallen out of his boat again."

At last, however, the prospective champion commenced to feel at home, and his thirty and forty miles "daily rows began to have their effect. Perhaps this has been in a way, the most interesting period of his career, for he would start out in the morning, scull till he felt tired, get out on the bank for a "spell," and then when rested, off again. He kept mainly to his own devices, and, although he was at different times in charge of a coach, he is to a very great extent a self-made sculler, whose style is certainly open to improvement.

His First Races.  
In due course, however, he was ready for his first real trial, and it was patent at once that a new champion had arrived. Handicaps served to show something of his powers; a match was made for him and resulted in a convincing victory. In a very short time there was a slump in the market—none of the lesser lights could be induced to meet him, and the only opponent in sight was the champion, William Webb, another New Zealander. Accordingly a match was arranged with Webb, and although for some distance it was a very severe struggle, in the end the cyclist won with something to spare, champion of the world in about two years from the time he first stepped into a sculling boat!

Webb naturally sought another match. But the result was the same, though the struggle was even more severe than in the first meeting. Arnst's next opponent was George Whelch, also of New Zealand, who was thought to have caught the champion napping in arranging to have the match on the rough waters of Akaroa Harbor, but who was easy prey, and then came the trip to the Zambesi, where the Englishman, Ernest Barry, was defeated.

Last year Harry Pearce, the next best among Australians, was conclusively beaten after a very severe first mile, and every one is conversant with the long series of negotiations which took place with the object of arranging a return match with Barry on the Thames.

Giving a Good Deal Away.  
The champion recognizes that in meeting Barry on the Thames he is giving a good deal away, but as he is a most careful-living man, he may be depended on to fit himself thoroughly for the task in hand, and if it should prove beyond his powers, he will assuredly be the first man to congratulate the victor.

Physically the two men engaged in this year's race are as dissimilar as Orlando and Charles the Wrestler. Barry is long, lean and lithe, while Arnst is bulky and thick set, and for that reason looks less than his real

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that reason looks less than his real height (6 feet 1 inch). There is little doubt that in mere muscular power the latter has the advantage, as he also has in weight; but as in all forms of sport, there are other factors to be brought into play, and though science and technical skill will not make a weak man win, Barry is not a weak man, but a strong one, and a first-rate sculler into the bargain.

Arnst Inferior as Sculler.  
So far as it is possible to judge from the little that has yet been seen of him on the Thames, Arnst is inferior to his rival as a sculler and a waterman, but it must be remembered that he had not figured in a best boat for several months before leaving the other side, and that he is considerably above his proper weight. This is enough to account for a certain tendency to shortness and lack of precision, and these points are aggravated by the fact that his boat is suited for a trained Arnst and is therefore far too small for the Arnst of the present moment.

Still it appears likely that even at his best Arnst will be a somewhat ungainly sculler; indeed, it is difficult for a man of his physical proportions to be otherwise, and as he only took to sculling at a comparatively recent date he will probably never acquire the ease and smoothness which come of an early start and long practice. The very breadth of his body makes it necessary for him to stick his elbows out at the finish of the stroke, and this

causes a certain amount of clumsiness in the wrist action which is so important a factor in sculling. However, he is undoubtedly an immensely powerful man, and his previous successes prove that he can not be an incompetent sculler.

### Creates Favorable Impression.

Personally, Arnst has created a very favorable impression on the river-side at Putney, where he is boating from the premises of Messrs. Bowers and Phelps, who are about to start building a new boat for him. English rowing men of all kinds very heartily desire that he may leave the championship behind him, but they will join in giving him a generous welcome to the Old Country, and in doing what they can to make his visit a pleasing experience.

### SPORT NOTES

It is the intention of Tommy Burns to keep the boxing game clean even when the men are training, says Tuesday's Calgary Herald. Yesterday a couple of inebriated would-be fans kicked up a row and used some very offensive language Tommy Burns will be traded for the Yankees' first baseman and one-time sensational

they were welcome there as long as they acted respectably, but he would not tolerate any bad language or allow people to make boxing offensive to the public. The men in question would not listen to the advice and it was necessary for Tommy to take them by the back of the necks later and put them out of the place. Tommy Burns then told the crowd that they were welcome to come and see the boys train, but while they were to keep quiet and act like men.

The Calgary Herald of June 11, says: Yesterday afternoon Joe Bayley worked out at the National hotel and a large number of fans were there to watch him. He punched the bag for some time, and then took on Cyclone Scott for a three-round bout. Scott is much heavier than Bayley, but the Kid found it easy to hold his own and was there with the goods all the way through. Bayley has a good punch and is quick on his feet. He also tried out four other boxers and left the ring feeling in good shape, and not the least fagged. Tommy Burns was out to see him train; also Fred Lowe. They are of the opinion that Bayley will be able to give Allen a hard battle. Bayley trains at the National hotel, east Calgary, every afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Hal Chase and Russell Ford again figure in talk of a baseball deal. The report to-day is that Big Ed Walsh and Rollie Zeider, of the White Sox, will be traded for the Yankees' first baseman and one-time sensational

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twirler, Walsh is said to be on the outs with Manager Callahan. It is well known that Chase is dissatisfied here.

Con. Jones has wired to Tommy Burns that he intends to come to the Bayley-Allen bout on June 27 in a private Pullman car accompanied by the four sporting editors of the Vancouver papers. He has wired for reserved seats and the party will return in time for the Westminster lacrosse game on the following Saturday.

(Additional sport on page 2.)



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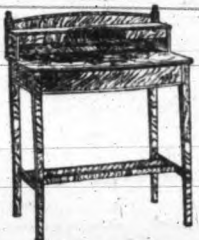
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New York, June 13.—Paul Pulgram, the former New York A. C. athlete, who won the 400 and 200-metre races at the Athens Olympiad in 1906, will accompany the Olympic team to Stockholm in the capacity of assistant manager to Matthew H. Halpin, it is said today.

Lawson Robertson, trainer of the Irish-American A. C., will be sent by his club to look after the Irish-American A. C. representatives.

Fifteen athletes, who are placed on the supplementary list, will embark on the Finland to-morrow. The Irish-American A. C. has raised money to send Jim Rosenberger, and Avah Meyer, the sprinters. The South Patterson A. C. will send Gaston Stirling, the Marathon runner, and the Boston A. C. will stand the expense of Lacy Whitney, the young weight-thrasher star. Tom Halpin, the middle distance runner, and Louis Johnson, the high jumper.

The Mount Association of the University of Pennsylvania will pay the expenses of J. P. Buckley, the high jumper; Fred Lyndhurst, the sprinter; Louis Marcelle, and Wallace McCordy, distance runners.

The Xavier A. A. has enough funds to send Hal Heiland, the Cherry sprinter, and the Chicago A. A. will send F. J. Coyle, the pole vaulter. Wesley O'Leary, the New York A. C. high jumper; Fred Kaiser, the Mercury foot-walker; and Sam Schwartz, the former Pastime A. C. pedestrian, will pay their way, and the Bronx Church House is working to obtain funds to send Harry Smith, the long-distance runner.

## NEGOTIATIONS CLOSE ON YACHT CLUB SITE

Cowichan Regatta June 29th When Victoria Motor Boats and Yachts Compete

The negotiations the Times reported for the purchase of an acre of land from the Uplands subdivision syndicate by the Victoria Yacht Club for a club house site were completed yesterday afternoon, and an acre track on the Cadboro Bay shore has passed to the yacht club for club house building purposes.

The yacht club will move from the inner harbor as soon as the new club house can be constructed. It is proposed to build a two-story bungalow style club house with quarters for club purposes and for yachting also. Until the car is through the Uplands property to connect with the new location, it is probable the club members will hang on to the convenience of the inner harbor boat house for their boats.

The Cowichan regatta takes place June 29 with the following programme: Columbia river sail boat race, men's double sculls (dual coxswain), long distance swimming race, men's race in 10-foot dinghies, men's double paddle canoe, dinghy sailing race, Indian boy single paddle canoe, klootch double paddle, 10-oar cutter race, Indian single paddle, motor boat race for amateurs, motor dinghy tender race, 5-oar whaler race, grand war canoe race, Indian double paddle canoe, log rolling contest, greasy pole contest, mop fight. The Duncan city band will be in attendance.

Mothers there are wonderful bargains in boys' suits and stockings at the Merchants' Sales Co., Cor. Government and Pandora Streets.

Capt. Poulkes, b. Fletcher	0
Q.M.S. Askey, b. Anderson	0
Fletcher	0
Leat, Moore, c. Fletcher, b. Spain	5
Mitfield, c. Fletcher, b. Spain	12
Sgt. Wyndham, c. and b. Spain	2
Watson, c. Fletcher, b. Spain	0
Howe, c. Fletcher, b. Spain	8
Sgt. Stevens, b. Jepson	8
Extras	8
Total	130

Albion C. C.

F. Jepson, b. Gratiorex, b. Stevens	35
Cantwell, b. Stevens	35
J. Idiens, not out	55
D. Fletcher, c. and b. Jinkins	7
Scott, b. Askey	5
J. Anderson, c. Askey, b. Poulkes	20
R. Winter, b. Moore	6
J. Spain, l.b.w. b. Jinkins	0
F. W. Askey, b. Jinkins	0
J. Nelson, b. Jinkins	0
Extras	1
Total	169

University School vs. Collegiate.

An interesting two-inning school match was played between the University School boys and the Collegiate at Mt. Tolmie. The age limit was 14 years and it must be said that the youngsters acquitted themselves right. The University School were beaten on the first innings, but afterwards retrieved their position. It was a great day for Geiger, of the Collegiate, who scored the greatest number of runs on his side and also took 15 wickets in the two innings at a trifle apiece. Holms, Munro and Winch were the most successful bowlers for the University.

Scores—University School 30 and 83, Collegiate 33 and 28. University School won by 52 runs.

## B. C. DRUGGISTS HAVE A BANQUET

### ANNUAL MEETING OF PHARMACEUTICAL BODY

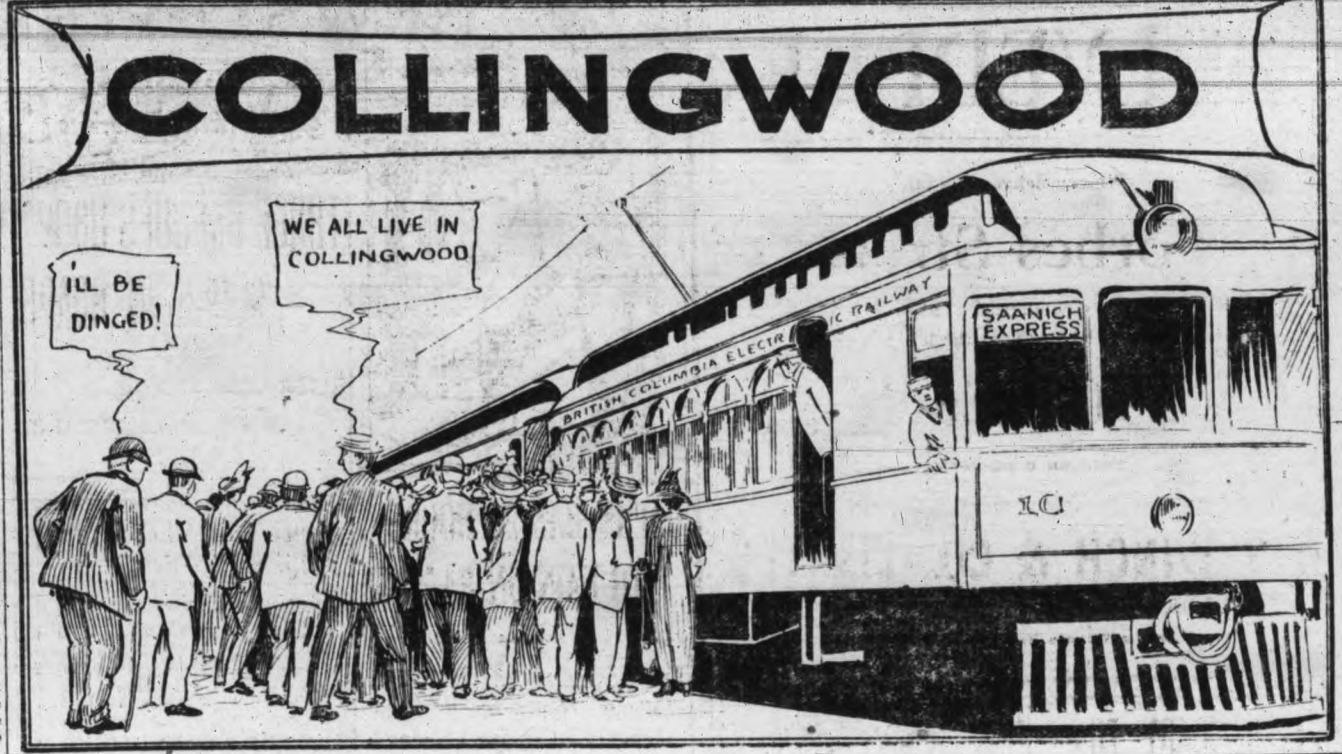
Council Elected and Delegates Chosen for the Big Convention in August

The twenty-second annual convention of the British Columbia Pharmaceutical Association was held in Victoria yesterday, when delegates gathered from Vancouver and New Westminster to grace the occasion. The proceedings terminated with an excellent dinner in the Glenisland Inn last evening to which about 40 members sat down.

Earlier in the day the council of the association met and routine business was transacted, reports were read and the election of the council accomplished. Of the retiring council three were re-elected by ballot, these being W. Knowlton, of Vancouver; F. McKenzie, of New Westminster; and J. H. Emery, of Victoria.

The delegates chosen were J. L. White, elected delegate to the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association convention to be held in Vancouver in August, and C. Nelson, of Vancouver, who is the president of that association. J. L. White, of Greenwood, was chosen president of the British Columbia Pharmaceutical Association, and J. H. Emery, vice-president, while the treasurer and registrar were re-elected.

The banquet in the evening the greatest degree of sociability and camaraderie prevailed. The tables were



tastefully decorated and adorned with the colors of the Association, mingled blue, yellow and green. Much care and artistic taste had been brought to bear on the designing of the menu cards which were excellently well done and bore the crest of the society on the front.

After the dinner various toasts were drunk with great cordiality. These included: the King, the Provincial Legislature, the B. C. P. A., the Wholesale Druggists, the C. P. A., the Press and the Ladies, and were responded to by various members of the council of the Association. In replying to the toast of the Provincial Legislature, F. J. Mackenzie, M. P. P., thanked the Association for the trip to Montreal that they had given him and for their great generosity on that occasion. He referred to the ever-increasing prosperity of the province and expressed his opinion that absolute unity was necessary if anything was to be done. All must stick as close as possible to their association. He had been glad to hear the sterling sentiments expressed at their meeting earlier in the day and exhorted one and all to attend the conference at Vancouver in August and give the Easterners a real western welcome.

J. L. White, of Colwood, the newly elected president, responded in a racy speech to the toast of the B. C. P. A. and thanked the members for electing him as delegate to the convention in August, saying that he would bend every effort for the welfare of the B. C. P. A. on that occasion. He was grateful too, for his election to the presidency and promised to do the utmost in his power to merit their confidence. He was "in the backwoods among the tall timbers," when he had been called into the city, but he was glad that they had sent him out into the backwoods once more.

A. E. Knowlton, of Vancouver, said that the association had made a wise selection in sending men to Montreal, men who had succeeded in having the next convention of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association brought out to the west. Mr. Nelson was the best man that they could put forward as president of the society, because like his illustrious namesake he was a fighter to the bone. Now was the time, he averred, for fearless men to be at the head of affairs, men who would fight to the last ditch for the rights of the retailer. He remarked in charge of young men who were in charge of the druggist business in Western Canada. But there was an element seeking to sap the life out of the drug business, and "the survival of the fittest" was the law which must obtain. There were too many among them who could fight and would—for the retailers to be driven to the wall. It would mean the downfall of one man—a man who had been trying to fight unfairly and he must go down and out. It was necessary for the well-being of every druggist in the province that this man should be trampled on. He referred feelingly to the efforts of the Editor of the Record, Mr. T. H. Emery, who was present with them, in the great work that he had done for the druggists with his valuable journal.

J. Tepoorten replied to the toast of "the Wholesale Druggist," while J. H. Emery answered for the Press. He referred to the cordial relations which had always existed between his paper and the retailers. Sometimes they had differences of opinion and once or twice he had unwittingly succeeded in stirring up strife, but he believed that no harm had been done by that. Strife was necessary to prevent stagnation and indicated progress.

G. G. Nelson, in replying for the C. P. A., thanked his hearers for the kind expressions which had been made to him more than once during the day. Referring to his trip that he had made to Montreal in the previous year, he said that they had a hard and strenuous struggle to engage in. They had gone and demanded that the wholesale houses meet them to discuss important matters and in return they had been treated by the wholesale men with contempt and much indifference. The retailers were not getting a fair deal by the wholesale men. "We are no further ahead," said Mr. Nelson, "than we were last year. We have not fought the battle hard enough. The C. P. A. had done and would do immense good to their profession. They had lawyers watching their interests and committees bent on the same object, and altogether he felt that the C. P. A. would be of the greatest assistance to retailers."

During the evening songs were rendered by J. G. Brown and Chas. Nelson, and the whole company joined in singing "Auld Lang Syne" at the close. The members present were: F. Mac-

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### POLICE EXONERATED.

Vancouver Commissioners Investigate Charges Made by Sam Gothard.

Vancouver, June 14.—A local sensation has recently been caused by the arrest of Sam Gothard, editor of a weekly paper called Truth, and the subsequent events connected with his case.

Gothard had been attacking the police and civic administration generally, particularly drawing attention to the restricted district. As an editor he described various places he had visited amongst the houses of ill-fame. Police detectives finally arrested him one night and the next morning he forfeited his bail of \$25 in the police court. He explained in the next issue of his paper that he had merely been in the

house designated to gather material for his paper. He blamed the police for not having arrested other inmates of the house.

Mayor Findlay then called a special meeting of the police commission, which investigated the cases charged against the police and finally exonerated the officers. They decided that it had been amply proven that Gothard had been an habitual frequenter apart from his duties as an investigator for his journal.

London, June 14.—The King's birthday honors were issued last night. The Earl of Carrick, Field Marshal Sir William Gustavus Nicholson, Sir Francis Allston Channing, who was born in the United States, and Sir Thomas Northcote are created barons.



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### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

G. B. Armstrong has arrived in the city from Merritt.  
E. W. Meese, of Mansfield, Ohio, has arrived in the city.  
Alex. Dow, of Vancouver, is staying at the Westholme hotel.  
William Lea, of Winnipeg, is staying at the Prince George hotel.  
A. E. Godfrey, of Vancouver, is staying at the Westholme hotel.  
Wm. H. Elgitt, of Vancouver, is staying at the Prince George hotel.  
T. B. Johnson, of Vancouver, is a guest at the Westholme hotel.  
W. J. Bartley, of Vancouver, is registered at the Prince George hotel.  
J. R. Conway has arrived at the Prince George hotel from Seattle.  
Alex. McTavish has arrived at the Westholme hotel from Vancouver.  
M. D. Campbell, of Portland, Ore., is a guest at the Prince George hotel.  
Mr. and Mrs. B. Boe, of Vancouver, are staying at the Westholme hotel.  
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Foster, of Ladner, are staying at the Prince George hotel.  
H. Miller arrived at the Prince George hotel from Tacoma yesterday.  
Mrs. R. C. Tennant has arrived at the Prince George hotel from Vernon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Manson, of Winnipeg, are staying at the King Edward hotel.  
Mr. D. King Hazen, of St. John, N. B., son of Hon. J. D. Hazen, minister of marine and fisheries, and Miss Mollie Creaghan, daughter of Mr. J. O. Creaghan, of New Castle, N. B., were married recently in New York. The

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J. C. Gaston is in the city from Sheffield, England.

P. Wait, of Vancouver, is staying at the King Edward hotel.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Watson are staying at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Matland are in the city from Vancouver.

A. Johnson arrived in the city yesterday from Fort George.

J. B. Johns, of Vancouver, is registered at the Westholme hotel.

C. G. L. Reid has arrived at the Empress hotel from Vancouver.

Carl F. Wrede, of Chicago, is staying at the Westholme hotel.

A. J. Taylor, of Vancouver, is registered at the Westholme hotel.

F. Davies, of Vancouver, is registered at the King Edward hotel.

J. Helmer, of Duncan, arrived at the King Edward hotel yesterday.

R. Shorburn, of Vancouver, is staying at the King Edward hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. August Ernstein are in the city from Berlin, Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Lunt have arrived in the city from Seattle.

D. O. Brown arrived at the Empress hotel last evening from Calgary.

A. R. Kelly arrived at the King Edward hotel from Vancouver yesterday.

W. H. Gaffett is in the city from San Francisco, registered at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Minot Davis, of Tacoma, arrived at the Empress hotel this morning.

Mrs. Charles Du Cane is in the city from Vancouver, staying at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Burns registered at the Empress hotel yesterday from Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hodges registered at the Empress hotel yesterday from Seattle.

W. H. Little has arrived in town from Queen's and is registered at the King Edward hotel.

T. S. McEachran has arrived in the city from Seattle, and is registered at the Empress hotel.

C. A. Wickens came over from Vancouver yesterday, and is registered at the Empress hotel.

James Brown has arrived in the city from Birmingham and is staying at the King Edward hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bidley have arrived from Nanaimo and are staying at the Prince George hotel.

J. A. Murray has arrived in the city from Nanaimo, and is staying at the King Edward hotel.

Gerald M. Dunne has arrived in the city from London, Eng., and is staying at the Westholme hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Peters have arrived in the city from Seattle and are staying at the Prince George hotel.

Alderman and Mrs. A. E. Kellington are in the city from New Westminster, registered at the Empress hotel.

Dr. J. A. L. Waddell, of Waddell & Harrington, the eminent bridge engineers, who was in the city last week in consultation with provincial govern-

ment officials over the ten bridges to be built for the Canadian Northern Pacific in this province, returned here this morning to continue negotiations.

Lieut. and Mrs. Helyer have arrived in the city from Bath, England, and are staying at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Clarkson are staying at the Prince George hotel, where they arrived from Pullman last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Henderson have arrived in the city from Los Angeles and are staying at the Prince George hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Thynne have arrived in the city from London, England, and are registered at the Empress hotel.

A quiet wedding took place at Christ church, Vancouver, Wednesday morning, when Mrs. Frances S. White, of London, England, was married to Mr. Theodore Clayton Holt, president of T. C. Holt, Ltd., North Vancouver. Rev. C. C. Owen officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Holt left on the morning boat for Seattle for a short wedding trip and on their return will reside in North Vancouver.

Mr. E. W. Thompson, F. R. S. L., F. R. S. L. C., Canadian editor of the Boston Transcript, and formerly editor of the Youth's Companion, is the guest of his niece, Mrs. Gordon Kaufmann, of Second avenue, Kitsilano, Vancouver. Mr. Thompson is well known in literary circles throughout Canada and is the author of a number of books, of which one of the most widely read is "Old Man Savaris," a group of French Canadian stories, which brought him no inconsiderable fame a few years ago. He is also the author of a book of poems entitled "The Many Mansions House."

At St. John's church on Tuesday afternoon last the marriage of Dorothy, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Allen, of Grant street, to Mr. William Henry Rivers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rivers, of Market street, was solemnized. Rev. A. J. Stanley officiated. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a fawn-colored suit, with a pretty picture hat trimmed with willow plumes. She carried a bouquet of bridal roses and sweet peas and was attended by Miss Belle Dauphin as bridesmaid, who wore a frock of crepe de chene over silk and carried a bouquet of carnations and sweet peas. Mr. Harry Price, Jr., acted as best man. At the home of the bride's parents, where a reception was held after the ceremony, the young couple, standing under a floral arch, received the congratulations of their many friends, leaving by the afternoon boat for the mainland, where they will spend their honeymoon, on their return making their residence with the bride's parents, 1147 Grant street, until their own residence on Belmont avenue is completed. Mr. and Mrs. Rivers were the recipients of a number of beautiful presents the groom's present to the bride was an ebony manicure set, to the bridesmaid a silver purse, and to the best man a stick pin of rubies and pearls.

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### The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

"He who gives quickly gives twice."  
That sentiment was the motto of one of the finest men in this country. He says that he read it somewhere when he was a child.

When I first read the sentiment, I failed to appreciate its full force, and wondered why he cared for it so much, but somehow the words stayed in my subconscious mind, and the other day they came to the surface again with a new richness of meaning. And the circumstances which brought them there and illumined them were these: A nice little shop girl went out of her way to do me a favor. She held out a coat for me during a special sale until I could find out if it would harmonize with the dress with which I expected to wear it; and when I found out that it most emphatically would not, she was just as kind and courteous as if I had bought it. I thanked her as cordially as I knew how, and then I found her number from one of the other girls, with the intention of sending her a box of candy to prove my gratitude.

When I left the shop my first impulse was to go straight to the candy store, but unfortunately something distracted me, and I went home that day without carrying out my intention. The rest you must know from experience of your own; the errand not being absolutely imperative, has been put off again and again. I have forgotten the girl's number, and I imagine that by this time she has quite forgotten the whole incident. And all because I did not give quickly. If I had gone that moment and bought the candy on that strength of my first impulse, I could now be turning my energy and my money towards some other giving.

You see—"he who gives quickly gives twice."

—And even more true is the converse, "he who gives slowly gives not at all."

Surely you remember that kind note of appreciation which you meant to write. You had especially enjoyed some club or church entertainment, and you thought it would be kind to write and congratulate the committee; you had been wonderfully impressed by some speaker or writer, and you said, "I will tell him so. It may help." But instead of sitting down while you were hot with your kind impulses, and carrying it out at once, you thought, "I'll do it to-morrow." And of course, to-morrow never came.

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"He who gives quickly gives twice." Will you not make that one of your mottos?

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## CHARGES ALTERATION OF THE RESERVOIR PLANS

Startling Turn in Evidence To-day in Stedham Damage Suit—Six Inches Added to Depth of Trench Since Contract Let

Startling disclosures are likely in the Stedham damage case this afternoon, according to an unexpected piece of evidence brought out this morning by Frank Higgins, solicitor for the plaintiff, who practically charged alteration of the original plans since the contract was let to Stedham, A. E. Forman, recently appointed assistant to the present city engineer, was handed a plan from the engineer's office showing a 12-inch trench in which the wall was to be built. This plan shows an addition in white lines, bringing the depth of the trench from six inches to 12 inches. Mr. Higgins told the court that when taking the contract Mr. Stedham had taken a duplicate plan, which the lawyer then produced, and on which the depth of the trench was marked at six inches. Mr. Higgins said when taking the contract, Mr. Stedham had written his initials against the six-inch line in the engineer's plan so as to protect himself, and then had compared his and the other plan. His own plan, which has been in his possession since the contract was let, shows an addition of six inches with the initials "TS" against the line. Witnesses have sworn during the trial that the trench in which the plaintiff built the wall was but six inches, and this was one of the faults they found with his work. This morning Mr. Higgins in cross-examining Mr. Forman ascertained that there had been a quarrel between Forman and Stedham on the Dallas Road seawall, which had been bitter, and in which Stedham had called the witness a liar and the witness had in return threatened "to take it out of his hide."

Chief Justice Hunter requested that the city plan be handed to him and having taken notice of the points referred to by the solicitor, said the matter had been cleared up. Mr. Higgins offered to call Stedham, but he could be called when the witness then giving evidence was finished with. Mr. Forman denied all knowledge of the plans. Yesterday afternoon, the rocks "bigger than my hat," which Ald. Stewart told Mayor Beck with were being placed by Contractor Stedham in the partition wall of the Smith's Hill reservoir, were produced in court by photograph yesterday afternoon, at the continued hearing of the Stedham damage suit, and their size was testified to by James Parfitt, builder and contractor, who measured them with a rule. One measured 21 inches by 12 inches, another was 18 inches by 7, and a third was 12 by 14 by 7. The photograph showed 18 large stones, he bulk of them being according to Mr. Parfitt's evidence, about 18 inches by 9 by 7.

When Mr. Parfitt had been sworn he was asked his business and experience. He retailed very rapidly the information that he has had years of experience. Just what the experience was the chief justice and the court stenographer could not gather, owing to the rapid speech of the witness. The

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you see it?" asked the lawyer, belligerently. "I do," replied the witness. "Then what about that chimney of mine you built that blew down," shouted Mr. Higgins. "That was made reference to the fact that there was money still owing on the chimney and Mr. Higgins enlightened the court on his personal accounts, saying the witness had wanted \$75 and had been paid \$50 because the chimney blew down. The reflection on his chimney building ability roused the witness who said the lawyer was still in his debt to the sum of \$300.

Mr. Higgins: "I paid that to your lawyer." Chief Justice Hunter: "That's probably why he hasn't got it." The recriminations between the witness and the lawyer continued, until the witness said: "You are a dead beat, and have all your property in your wife's name." Mr. Higgins came back again to the chimney, but after awhile both witness and solicitor, having worn themselves out, realized the chimney had nothing to do with the Smith's Hill reservoir, and the witness stepped down.

This Morning's Proceedings. A. E. Forman, chief assistant to the city engineer, was called this morning and corroborated the evidence of other witnesses for the defence in regard to the faulty construction of the Stedham wall, as the partition wall in the reservoir has become known in court. He figured the actual cost of the wall as to be erected by Stedham at \$5,322, being a difference of \$700 from Col. Thompson's estimate. This estimate of cost would be without mixer rent, power, or profit and incidentals. Since taking over the work the city had spent \$3,322 on the wall. The outside value of the wall to the city would be \$2,500. On the walls the coating now is six inches at the top, eleven inches, three feet from the floor, and then a toe for three feet. The same treatment was given the Stedham wall, and an even surface of six inches was placed on the floor. Stedham's concrete on the floor at \$10 would have cost him \$8.49 for his concrete, 50 cents for taking up each cubic yard, and 75 cents for cleaning the excavated material from the reservoir. He would be losing on each cubic yard about 75 cents.

The witness said he wrote to a relative, Hon. W. T. White, at Ottawa, January 19, when Stedham was still working on the reservoir, telling him something about Stedham in connection with other work. His communication had nothing to do with Smith's Hill reservoir. The witness knew nothing about alterations in the plans, and when these were shown to the chief justice, additions were found on the one that remained in the possession of the city, while that which has remained in the possession of Mr. Stedham does not bear the additions.

Chief Justice to Mr. Higgins: "You had better have this matter cleared up." Mr. Higgins: "Then I'll call Mr. Stedham." Continuing with Mr. Forman, Mr. Higgins brought out a quarrel the witness and the plaintiff had over the construction of the Dallas Road seawall, over which there had been a civic enquiry. As a result, Stedham had called Forman a liar, and the latter resented it and threatened to "take it out of his (Stedham's) hide."

Mr. Higgins was going further with the matter when his lordship said: "We've heard enough to show there is no friendship." The witness said that Stedham had done him more good than harm in the last six months, and said later, that he could not remember if he had told the mayor and the water commissioner that "Stedham was worth watching."

The witness was unable to recollect if he had sent newspaper clippings mentioning Stedham to Ottawa. He did not take out Mr. Parfitt and Mr. Luney, but they went out shortly after Colonel Thompson had been there. Mr. McDiarmid interposed that the photographs had been taken and witnesses sent out there by arrangement with him.

Mr. Higgins ascertained that witness showed the other defence witness over the reservoir and said he may have pointed things out to them. Angus G. Smith, ex-city engineer is giving evidence this afternoon.

### MARRIAGE CASE.

Ottawa, June 14.—Judgment was not given in the Supreme court this morning in the government test marriage case as expected. When the court met at 11 o'clock to give judgment in a number of appeals heard at the spring session, Sir Charles Fitzpatrick stated that it was expected that the judgment in the reference on the marriage case would be given Monday.



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## LABOR ORGANIZATION IN THE DOMINION

Interesting Report Issued by the Department of Labor at Ottawa

The Department of Labor at Ottawa has issued a special report on labor organization of Canada, the general nature of which is set forth in the opening sentences of the introductory chapter. "The aim of the present report," it is there explained, "is to present in concise and convenient form a statement showing the details of labor organization in Canada. The subject is one that has not perhaps in the past received the attention it has merited. The extent and variety of interests concerned, and the elaborate system of organization which has been evolved, are little realized by the public in general, and are not closely appreciated, in all probability, by many of those who are themselves sometimes participating in the work here indicated formally in facts and figures. The information presented will be of particular value to employers and employees of all classes, but will also be of deep interest in other circles. Labor organization is to-day attracting a closer attention than perhaps at any previous time, whether in Canada or elsewhere. Association with the question of labor organization, growing sometimes, in fact, out of it, are some aspects of those industrial problems which are becoming more and more the subject of research on the part of publicists, journalists and all students of affairs. The one matter bears closely on the other, and the facts which have been here assembled will be, it is believed, of material value from this point of view. It is not intended that this record should be considered as in any way either an advocacy or a condemnation of trades unionism. An effort is made simply to state freely and clearly the facts gathered, and thus to show as precisely as the limits of an official publication will permit the general situation in Canada to-day."

The report is of necessity largely statistical, but includes a general statement as to methods of organization. As the report shows, the relations as to labor organization between the United States and Canada are closely interwoven, and the statistics printed include sufficient information bearing on this international aspect of the subject to permit a comprehensive view of the whole.

Briefly, it may be stated, that there are 1741 local unions in Canada, of which 1531 are international in character and the remainder are associated with central bodies having no affiliation outside the Dominion. Ontario bulks largely in trade unionism, claiming 700 local unions out of 1741 in Canada. British Columbia comes second with 234 local unions, and Quebec is third with 295. The other provinces divide the honors as follows: Alberta 153, Nova Scotia 138, Manitoba 118, Saskatchewan 84, New Brunswick 73, Prince Edward Island 7. These figures as to provinces include all local unions whether international or otherwise; in Prince Edward Island there are respectively three international and four national bodies. The special strength of unionism is necessarily in the larger cities and the four largest cities in Canada comprise between them about one-fifth of the local unions, proportioned as follows: Toronto 105, Montreal 95, Winnipeg 79, Vancouver 76. Other cities rank in number as follows: Hamilton 48, Ottawa 47, Quebec 42, Victoria 42, Calgary 40, London 35, Edmonton 33, St. Thomas 28, Fort William 28, Lethbridge 28, Port Arthur 27, Halifax 22, Moose Jaw 21, Saskatoon 21, St. John 20. It is interesting to note in these figures, the prominence taken by western cities and how far in some cases they have, relatively speaking, outstripped the older eastern cities in labor organization.

The total estimated membership in Canada of trade unions is 133,132, the Canadian International roll reaching 119,412, the remainder belonging to purely Canadian unions. Of the latter class the membership is no doubt actually larger than these figures indicate, but precise reports have not been received. The international bodies represented in Canada show a total membership, mostly in Canada and the United States, of 2,340,865 members comprised in 2741 unions; there are besides, it will be remembered, a considerable minority of trades organizations in the United States without branches in Canada, the membership of which in the United States will increase the total considerably. The total union membership in the United States is placed at 2,625,000 for 1910, a somewhat greater strength relatively than in Canada, having regard to the respective populations.

The report includes an interesting statement of the total of trade union membership as to various leading countries of Europe, and including Canada and the United States, respectively, the figures being as follows:

	Total Membership	Percentage of T1 Population
Austria	491,505	14
Belgium	128,928	14
Denmark	121,563	4.9
France	977,350	2.5
German Empire	2,688,144	4.1
Hungary	86,366	5.4
Italy	167,256	5.4
Netherlands	145,859	2.4
Sweden	148,649	2.7
Switzerland	110,749	3.1
United Kingdom	2,426,592	5.4
United States	2,625,000	3.0
Canada	133,132	2.0

Canada, it will be noticed, is less highly unionized than many European countries. Germany has the largest union membership, exceeding even the figures of the United States, with its greater population, but Great Britain shows the highest percentage of unions to population, Denmark being second, Germany third and the United States fourth.

The report serves also as a trade union directory, including as it does the names and addresses of secretaries for 1912 of all Canadian trades organizations.

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## EASTERN HALF OF RESERVOIR IN USE

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The water was turned in during the night into the eastern half of Smith's Hill reservoir, and the western portion is now being dried out for the laying of asphalt in the joints of that moiety of the reservoir. When this has been done the same course will be adopted in the eastern half, by which time the details will be finished, up, and the whole of the reservoir become available for storage purposes.

In order that the city may have a storage service in case of fire, the water commissioner will not abrogate the present restrictions; in fact, it would be unwise to do so till the whole of the big tank is available. The quantity of water which can be saved at the present time is not large, with the big demands upon it, and the removal of restrictions would be a serious mistake.

The pressure available for fire protection purposes in Victoria West is much better since the two defects in the Esquimalt Waterworks Company's system of distribution at that portion of the city were discovered, and with the exception of two hydrants there is a fair amount of pressure available, according to Wednesday's report from the fire chief on all hydrants in Victoria West.

The rain of the last two days has saved the amount of domestic watering which was proving such a drain on the resources of the city, and forms another source of augmenting the supply.

### LOCAL NEWS

**Cadet Band.**—The Victoria Cadet band will play in North Ward park tomorrow afternoon at 2:30.

**E. McGaffey on Vacation.**—Ernest McGaffey, the secretary of the Vancouver Island Development League in this city, will leave next week for a month's holiday to the city of Chicago, his home town.

For everything that's correct in Men's wear, see The Commonwealth.

**Return of Superintendent.**—H. E. Beasley, the superintendent of the E. & N. Railway, will return to Victoria on Sunday next from his visit of inspection along the railroad.

**New Ladies' Committee.**—There will be a meeting of all ladies who have signified their intention of becoming members of the new Ladies' Committee in connection with the Y.M.C.A. in the association's auditorium on Monday next, at 3:30. This meeting is of the utmost importance as plans will be discussed for organization and the holding of a great social event in the near future will be mooted.

**Grace Lutheran Ladies' Aid.**—The Ladies' Aid of Grace Lutheran church met yesterday to hear the reports of the committees which have the arrangements for the proposed strawberry social which is to be held on Friday, June 21, in conjunction with which an entertainment will be held. Further particulars will be announced next week, as owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Drann, at the Pacific Lutheran Synod, definite arrangements have not been completed pending his return.

**Children's Aid Society.**—Under the auspices of the Children's Aid Society there will be a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium at which J. J. Kelso, the superintendent of Neglected Children in Ontario, will deliver an address. The meeting will take place on Tuesday evening, next, at 8 o'clock and will be illustrated by lime-light views. Mr. Kelso has not only a national reputation in the great work that he has espoused but is also known all over the States and is reckoned as the chief expert on children's work on the continent.

**New Companies.**—The following companies have been incorporated: Colonial B. C. Securities, Ltd.; Exchange Loan & Savings Co., Ltd.; Fine Gold Concentrator Company; Deverell's Patents, Ltd.; French Canadian Timber, Ltd.; Helic Aero Navigation Co., Ltd.; Inland Investment Co., Ltd.; J. A. Teape & Co., Ltd.; Loyal Order of Moose, Vancouver Lodge 888; Moose Temple, Ltd.; Red Wing Lumber and Supply Co., Ltd.; Seaborn's, Ltd.; Sooke Harbor Hotel Co., Ltd.; Vernon Cannery and Jam Company, Ltd.; W. C. Thompson Co., Ltd.; West Vancouver Ferry Co., Ltd.; W. L. Keate Timber and Trading Co., Ltd.

**Supervision on Playground.**—The two supervisors who will start work in the recreation ground at Beacon Hill park on Monday next as instructors to the children in their play, are Howard C. Gerish and Miss Ruth E. Jarvis. Mr. Gerish brings a good reputation as an organizer for children from his last place at Vancouver and is well recommended by the Vancouver playground director; he was also a member of the Terminal City's gymnasium leader's corps. Miss Jarvis has but lately arrived from the Old Country, where she is a member of the British college of education and has had seven years' experience in the gymnasium of the high school at Manchester.

**Lighting Report.**—The report on the harbor lighting scheme, which has for some time been under the consideration of the city electrician and the manager of the light and power department of the B. C. E. R., is now almost completed, and as far as the city is concerned altogether so. The scheme as it stands at present is chiefly concerned with the lighting of Belleville street, the causeway and Wharf street, and also some sugges-

tions which affect the private interests around as well as the provincial government grounds. The electric light committee will meet early next week to go into the whole proposition, and later will meet the board of trade and the real estate exchange for a joint meeting for the final decisions.

**Capitals vs. A. B. C. Clash.**—This evening at 6:30 the Capitals, fresh from their victory over Beacon Hill will meet the Arcade Bowling Club at the North Ward park. If the Capitals win the other teams will have to fight hard to overcome their lead as they are leading their rival teams easily, having won 3 and lost 1. Still the A. B. C.'s are confident of victory, as they, too, defeated the Hills last week and they think they can also turn the tables on the Caps.

**Development League.**—The letters received at the office of the Vancouver Island Development League this morning were mostly from eastern Canada and the States, where the prospects of Vancouver Island are attracting undoubted attention. One letter, from a large general merchant in Tessler, Saskatchewan, states that the writer who had been in business there for the last few years has sold it and is making a tour of British Columbia at an early date and hopes to settle in Vancouver Island and use the capital that he has built up in commercial adventures here. Other communications were from Medford, Ore., Toronto and Okotoko, Alberta.

**Scottish Fusiliers.**—There was a meeting last evening of those identified with the movement to organize a regiment of Scottish Fusiliers in the city at the Foresters' hall on Broad street. Free and easy was the order of the evening and the gathering took the nature of an informal smoking concert which the large attendance greatly enjoyed. The meeting was presided over by Lieut. Hall, who takes a great interest in the project, and Major Deale, another prominent organizer, was also present. These two gentlemen outlined the scheme to those present, and stated that those who had desired to have a Highland regiment formed had decided to give the movement their support, and it was in deference to them that the new regiment would take the form of a body of Scottish Fusiliers affiliated to the Royal Scottish Fusiliers.

**Rev. Mr. Adams' Church.**—The appended item appears in the "Christian Guardian" of June 5th, and refers to the predecessor of Rev. Mr. Holling in the Metropolitan church: "Rev. Mr. Adams and Rev. Mr. Holling exchanged churches four years ago, the former goes this year to Port Arthur and Mr. Holling to Brantford, Ont. Young church, Rev. G. K. B. Adams, pastor, has had a banner year. Receipts for year, exclusive of building fund, \$16,758; missions over \$4,000; over \$30,000 in all. Membership increased 114; Ladies' Aid has 157 members, raised \$2,432; W. M. S. has 245 members; Sunday school has a membership of 1,000; Epworth League, 134 members. The church union vote—quarterly official board was 34 to 6 in favor, membership 597 for, 8 against. As a tangible expression of appreciation and esteem for the retiring pastor, the board presented him with a purse of \$500.

**Canoe Club Meeting.**—There was a meeting last evening of the Canoe Club executive of the Y. M. C. A. and important business was transacted. Letters have been received from clubs in the east apprising them of the form of the constitution of such aggregations there, and the committee will be called upon to draft a constitution for the local club on the lines laid down by the easterners. Reports were given by Walter Small on the buying of canoes in which he stated that the first consignment would arrive this week, a second about the end of the month, while a third shipment of canvas covered canoes had also been ordered. The same gentleman also reported on the question of a house-boat for the club and pointed out the difficulties in the way, but urged, if at all possible the purchase of an old sealer at a cheap rate. All the members of the executive were present at the meeting, which was of a most successful nature.

**New Appointments.**—The Provincial Gazette of yesterday evening contains the following appointments: To be justices of the peace, Francis Edward Glossop, of Rock Creek; John L. Christie, of Port Essington; Herbert Stanton, chief clerk in the department of mines, to be gold commissioner and mining recorder for the Victoria mining division, vice R. A. Henwick and Granville Cuppage, resigned; Samuel Richards to be secretary of the board of examiners at Corbin, vice Richard Jones, resigned; Frederick W. Warren, issuer of marriage licenses, to be district registrar of births, deaths, and marriages at Trail; to be notaries public, George James Goetz and Arthur Vincent Wood, both of the city of Vancouver, barristers-at-law; John P. Farrell, of Moyle, to be a deputy mining recorder for the Fort Steele mining division with sub-recording office at Moyle, in the place of J. A. B. McDonald.

**Rules of Court Changed.**—Notice is given in the Gazette that the amendments set forth hereunder have been made to the existing rules of court, and that the amendments will take effect on the first day of July, 1912, namely: That subsection (b) of rule 5 of order XVII (marginal rule 241) be rescinded and the following substituted in lieu thereof: "In the case of a corporation any officer or servant of such corporation may, without any special order, and anyone who has been one of the officers of such corporation may, by order of the judge, be orally examined before the trial touching the matters in question by any party adverse in interest to the corporation, and may be compelled to attend and testify in the manner hereinafter set out, and upon the same terms and subject to the same rules of examination as a witness. Such examination may be used as evidence at the trial if the trial judge so orders."

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The city council will now be able to go ahead with the submission of the by-law, and to take a vote of the ratepayers on the subject of borrowing half a million dollars towards the scheme, as embodied in the by-law which will be introduced by Alderman Gleason at the next meeting of the city council.

### CYMRODORION PICNIC.

Committees Appointed to Arrange for Outing on July 1.

An unusually large number of members and friends of the Cymrodorion Society were present at the regular monthly meeting which was held last evening in the Foresters' hall, Broad street, the president, Mrs. Jenkins, in the chair.

ber of the leading merchants of the city had promised to contribute prizes, and that her canvass had so far resulted in thirty prizes having been secured in addition to which \$45 in cash had been promised for the same purpose. The committee on sports were requested to note the number of prizes and make their arrangements accordingly.

After some discussion on the subject of a letter which was read to the society asking for information as to the number of Welsh people resident in Victoria with a view to opening a Welsh church here, it was decided that the matter should be left in the hands of a committee, the following being appointed to look into the matter: J. P. Morris, John Lewis and John N. Jones.

Following the business meeting the evening was devoted to a very entertaining programme of music and recitations, the following taking part: Vocalists, Miss Drinkle, J. M. Thomas, Mrs. D. F. McLaren, Mr. R. Thomas, and Mrs. Day; reading, Mrs. Jenkins; recitation, Mr. R. Thomas; song, with cello obligato, Mrs. D. Day, of Vancouver; duet, with cello obligato by Mr. Hinkling, Mesdames Day and Drinkle; and solo cello, Mr. Hinkling.

The entertainment closed with an informal half-hour social during which refreshments were served. The large and enthusiastic gathering quite justified the decision of the meeting not to discontinue the meetings during the summer, as was at one time contemplated.

### W. T. STEAD'S ESTATE.

London, June 14.—The will of the late William T. Stead, who was lost in the Titanic disaster, is published. The famous journalist left his estate, which amounts to about \$65,000, to his widow. An extract from the will reads: "I hand over all my private papers, manuscript, letters, automatic writing diaries and everything of an autobiographical and personal interest to my eldest daughter, Estelle, to be dealt with at her sole discretion."

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The first and second year results of the Victoria branch of McGill University College of B. C. have just been received from Montreal. In the second year work Miss Mary Hamilton, of Pender Island, made an average of 83.15 per cent., and Miss Kathleen O'Meara 82.45 per cent. In the first year Miss Florence Penny heads the list with an average of 89 per cent.

General Standing in Second Year Arts.  
Class I.—Mary Hamilton, Kathleen O'Meara, Class II.—Caroline Burridge, Madge Wolfenden, Henry Sivertz (s.), George Norris, Grace Ryan, H. L. Robinson (s.), F. C. Lannington (s.), Class III.—Emsley Yeo.

General Standing in First Year Arts.  
Class I.—Florence Penny, Emma Gonnason, Class II.—Dorothy Boyden, Ira Dilworth, Cecil Sargent, Ralph Bell (s.), Jessie Bruskey, J. W. D. Dowler, Class III.—Bina Brynjolfsen, Wm. C. Ross, Clarice Bissett (s.), Grace Miller (s.).

Second Year Arts.  
Algebra.—Class I.—Kathleen O'Meara, Madge Wolfenden, Class II.—Mary Hamilton, Emsley Yeo, F. Carleton Hanington, Class III.—Caroline Burridge, H. L. Robinson, George Norris and Vernon Stevens (equal), Grace Ryan.

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## REVISING LIST OF STREETS FOR PAVING

Alterations Being Made in  
Schedule Before Tenders  
Are Called For

When the list of streets, which were set for calling for tenders to be permanently paved and postponed on the arrival of Mr. Rust, comes up again for tenders to be advertised, there will be a number of changes, and the amount will be less than the 211,000 yards estimated by Mr. Smith.

The whole matter is now being thoroughly examined, and the revised schedule will be ready shortly. One street mentioned had crept in again, having been already let.

It is rumored that further changes are contemplated in the re-organization of the engineering department, particularly in the construction branch which may be absorbed into other departments of the works service.

The branch was organized by the late superintendent of construction, Worswick, and has not long been in existence.

Quite a change has come over the spirit of the engineering department, and already re-organization under Mr. Rust has infused new life into the various sections into which the engineering service is divided. When Mr. Foreman has completed his work at Smith's Hill Reservoir, which will be directly, he will take over the active work in connection with the new appointment, and many details referred in the past to the city engineer will go direct to him for attention, particularly in connection with underground work preliminary to paving.

The schedule of streets named above is now being revised with a view to seeing that the underground work is in such shape that the contracts can be let as soon as tenders have been received and the bids examined.

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## PLOT TO MURDER JAPANESE GENERAL

Official Outlines Conspiracy  
Against Life of Governor-  
General of Korea

Seoul, Korea, June 14.—The outlines of the conspiracy against Lieut.-General Count Terauchi, Japanese governor-general of Korea, were given out today in an official statement issued by the prosecutor-general.

He asserts that Baron Yunchio, leader of a patriotic Korean secret organization since 1905, had the intention of procuring the independence of Korea and enlisting the sympathy of the foreign powers against the Japanese. It was his purpose to await a time when Japan was involved in war to take up arms.

When Japan annexed Korea in 1910, however, Yunchio determined on the assassination of Count Terauchi, and specially selected conspirators followed the governor-general's route on his northern inspection tour in November, 1910. Five railroad stations are named by the prosecutor-general as places selected by the conspirators to carry out the assassination. The vigilance of the police, however, prevented an attack on the count.

The assassinations of Durham White Stevens, who was killed in San Francisco in 1906 where he held the appointment of foreign advisor, to the Korean government, and of Prince Ito, the former governor-general of Korea who was killed in 1909, are all traceable to the organization headed by Yunchio, says the prosecutor.

### WILL VISIT AUSTRALIA.

Hon. G. E. Foster Will Accompany  
Members of Imperial Trade  
Commission.

London, June 14.—Hon. George E. Foster is proving generous in granting newspaper interviews to pressmen who try to draw him out on the naval question, but invariably they are put off with the reminder that Premier Borden and Hon. James D. Hazen are coming to discuss that question, although unreservedly he declares that Canada will bear her part. Mr. Foster says that he intends proceeding to Australia with the commission, hoping to ratify personally a reciprocal tariff treaty. He also intends dealing while here with Lloyd's high rate of insurance for Montreal steamers. He urges that British children ought to be taught more about the Overseas Dominions.

### WORK OF TRAIN WRECKERS.

South Bend, Wash., June 14.—A freight train on the Everett branch of the Milwaukee road struck an open switch at Meadowbrook siding, two miles west of this city, at 4 o'clock

Wednesday afternoon. The engine turned over and three cars were derailed. That the accident was the work of wreckers is evident. The switch lock was found broken and the switch thrown halfway so as not to be detected when the train reached the siding. Last Sunday a similar attempt was made when a westbound passenger train struck a bar of iron that had been laid across the rails at a dangerous point west of Tokul siding. No reason can be given for any attempts of this kind on the company's property.

### DUEL UNDER HOUSE.

Night Watchman Succumbs to Wound  
Sustained in Fight.

Redding, Cal., June 14.—A. J. Daugherty, a night watchman, died here as the result of a gunshot wound received Saturday night in a duel with another man while both lay flat on their faces under a house. Daugherty attempted to arrest Theo. Dullen, a Greek. Dullen crawled under a house and Daugherty followed him through an aperture scarcely large enough to admit his body. Daugherty could not see the man and lay still until he could hear the other's breathing, then he lit a match. Dullen fired and Daugherty was hit. Still holding the lighted match he fired three shots. Dullen returned the fire and the night watchman swooned. The Greek crawled over his body, squeezed through the hole and escaped. He later was arrested and is now in jail at Eureka.

### IMPERIAL TRADE COMMISSION.

London, June 14.—It was definitely decided at the first meeting of the Imperial Trade Commission of the Empire that Australia should be the first of the Dominions to be visited. The commission will devote the next six months to an investigation into the trade conditions in the United Kingdom in their relation to the rest of the Empire. They will leave for Australia in January.

Sir D. Graaf, of South Africa, has been compelled to resign his place in the commission. His place has been filled by Sir Richard Solomon. Commissioner Ward's vacancy has not been filled. All other members of the commission were present.

### HOLDS POLICE AT BAY.

Tacoma, Wash., June 14.—Violently insane as a result of a long period of ill-health, G. W. Connors, 28 years of age, a resident of South End, armed himself with a razor yesterday and drove his wife, mother-in-law and his own mother and sister out into a heavy rain, locked the door of the house and stood off the police for more than an hour. He hurled defiance from the windows until a crowd of more than 100 persons had gathered about the house. Connors was finally captured by a ruse, several policemen drawing him to one side of the house by a feigned attack, while others crawled through a window on the other side. When he saw he was about to be captured he ran into a room and attired himself in his wife's clothes. He was taken to the county jail and will be examined by a lunacy commission.

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New York, June 14.—The China famine relief committee announced yesterday through its secretary that cabled word had been received from China indicating that there is no further need of help from this country at present for the relief of famine sufferers. The committee, therefore, has ceased its efforts in this connection and will close its accounts. The total amount of funds forwarded to China through all sources, says the statement, was \$334,815, of which sum more than \$122,000 passed through the hands of the New York committee.

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## LICENSE OF OLD COLONIST HOTEL

OPPOSITION WILL BE MADE BY RESIDENTS

Case to Be Heard To-day—Business Before Quarterly Meeting of Commissioners

From what transpired yesterday at the brief afternoon session of the license commissioners, there will be a fight put up in connection with the proposed transfer of the license of the Old Colonist hotel on Douglas street, facing Beacon Hill park, to the James Bay hotel, when the matter comes to be argued before the commissioners to-day.

The temporary transfer of the license from J. Andrew Van Tassel to Fred C. Smith, of the James Bay hotel, is sought to be made permanent, the in-

terests of the applicants being represented by M. B. Jackson for Frank Higgins (engaged in the Supreme Court), and Thornton Fell. The petitioners against the transfer of the license to the James Bay hotel are represented by F. G. Fowkes, and H. A. Maclean, K.C., is opposing for the owners of the Colonist hotel.

Rev. C. M. Tate obtained permission from Mayor Beckwith to put in a petition from the I. O. G. T. lodge against the transfer.

The case was not argued at any length, but set back for the consideration of the commissioners to-day, the court being adjourned till that time.

Mr. Fowkes, on behalf of the petitioners, said the residents strongly objected to a transfer into a residential neighborhood. They maintained there was no necessity for a license in that district.

Mr. Maclean said the owners strongly objected to Mr. Van Tassel attempting to transfer the license of an hotel which had enjoyed a license since confederation, to another property, and as a company called the Park House, Limited, was being formed to carry it on they strongly opposed the transfer. The hearing was then adjourned.

The license of the Dallas hotel was transferred from Isabella Patterson to Percy Criddle. The premises have been remodelled by Mr. Criddle since purchasing the property. The adjournment till to-morrow will cover the following applications:

Robert Livingston to George Fortin, the Clarence saloon.  
Henry Emanuel Levy to Albert and Thomas L. McManus, license of Levy's restaurant.  
Extension of temporary permits: Strand hotel, William Falconer and L. Wright, administrators of the estate of Charles H. Wright, to Alexander Duff.

Transfer of the license attached to the Belmont saloon to the premises of Chalmers and Mitchell, Government street, and the change of the old saloon license into an hotel license.

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## LICENSE COMMISSION AND APPLICATIONS

Heard Westholme Hotel Case Yesterday—Adjourned Until To-day

The Westholme hotel application engaged the attention of the board of license commissioners yesterday evening for over two hours, and ultimately the court adjourned the case to a date to be set, probably about two weeks hence, when further evidence will be called.

At the outset, C. L. Harrison, who appeared for the license inspector, stated that Hazel Ross, the woman who obtained liquor at the hotel with a meal, although under age, but being a married woman, was not available, and he asked, therefore, to have the case remanded till she was in Victoria.

George Powell, of Vancouver, for Hugh E. Springer, who acquired an interest in the property last December, was prepared to admit the evidence after reading it, but agreed with W. C. Moresby, for the licensees, that the cross-examination of the witness would be material.

J. A. Attkinman appeared for the unsecured creditors, and the evidence taken during the evening was confined almost entirely to the relations between Mr. Springer and the men from whom he acquired the hotel, T. Cavan, M. P. P., and Fred Clark. They were, according to the evidence, the Westholme Hotel, Ltd., from whom Mr. Springer bought the goodwill and undertook the payment of the creditors, but he declared in the box that the transactions of the hotel were misrepresented to him.

The Westholme Hotel Company did not own the license, which stood in the name of Cameron and Clark. Mr. Clark had declared to witness (Springer) that he would never allow the license to go out of his control, except when the creditors were satisfied.

Mr. Springer was examined at great length as to his dealings with the Westholme Hotel Company and the creditors of that concern, and stated in the course of the examination that the total liabilities of the old company were about \$74,000. He had agreed to pay ten per cent. of the liabilities of the Westholme company to the unsecured creditors, and a further ten per cent. later, subject to the payment of ten per cent. to any creditors who did not sign the arrangement with him when it was first made, but beyond that he made no pledge.

The secured creditors were the Hudson's Bay Company, on his personal note for between \$4,000 and \$5,000, and Weller Bros., who held a chattel mortgage for about \$8,000. The principal unsecured creditors were L. Goodacre & Sons, Harvey & Briggs, Turner, Beaton & Co., the Omaha Supply Company, and the Island creameries. He stated that he paid off some of the debts to remove the sheriff, and found himself going deeper and deeper into his pocket, and \$11,000 was gone before he realized where things stood.

He offered to submit his books to any examination required. The court adjourned after hearing Mr. Pratt on behalf of the Hudson's Bay Company, who expressed his satisfaction at the way in which Mr. Springer had guaranteed his company's claim against the Westholme Hotel, Ltd.

PIONEER SURVEYOR DEAD.  
Montreal, June 14.—The death occurred here of William McConnell, who operated for 35 years in the Northwest as land surveyor for the Dominion government and helped to survey land west of Winnipeg. He retired twenty-five years ago and has occupied his time by printing religious tracts on his own press, circulating them at his own expense.

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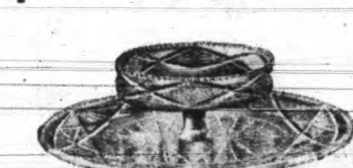


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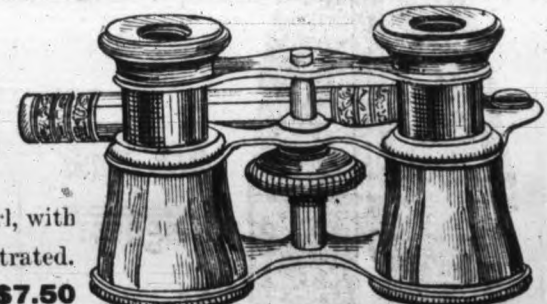
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## THE GRAND LODGE FINISHES LABORS

BUSINESS WOUND UP  
YESTERDAY EVENING

The Members Enjoyed Pleasant  
Excursion to the Gorge—  
Reports Were Submitted

The session of the Grand Lodge yesterday afternoon brought to a close the thirty-eighth annual convention of the Odd Fellows of British Columbia, after a most successful gathering in which considerable business was transacted and a number of very interesting reports received.

An interesting feature of the day's proceedings was the exchange of greetings between the Rebekah Assembly, gathered in the K. of P. hall, and the Grand Lodge assembled in the L. O. O. F. hall, a delegation from the former visiting the Grand Lodge in the morning, and a delegation of three, Past Grand Masters Gilmore, Law and R. A. Anderson, from the latter lodge visiting the Rebekah Assembly during the afternoon for the same purpose, the exchange of felicitations cementing

that spirit of good fellowship which already exists between the two bodies. The afternoon business at the Grand Lodge was, in the main, a continuation of the morning proceedings, and consisted in receiving the reports of the committees to which various matters had been assigned for consideration.

It was decided by the unanimous decision of the Grand Lodge that the grand secretary, F. Davey, should be sent as a delegate to the session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, which is to meet in Winnipeg on December 29 next, where he would act as representative of the Secretary's Association of the Grand Lodge.

Appointments made during the afternoon included Rev. E. G. Miller as Grand Chaplain of the Grand Lodge, and F. Forneri as District Deputy Grand Master for Victoria.

In connection with the financial statement which was read during the afternoon, the funds of the order appeared to be in a most flourishing condition, and it is decided, in order to avoid the accumulation of too large a surplus, to reduce the per capita tax from \$1.10 annually to \$1.00. The total cash received and paid to the Grand Treasurer during the year was \$7,736.93. The estimated revenue of the Grand Lodge for the next year is \$11,965.37, the expenditures \$5,842, which leaves a balance in the hands of the Grand Treasurer of \$5,553.57. The expenses of the present session were \$2,982 as compared with \$3,759 at Cranbrook last year, although a larger number of delegates were present.

The Odd Fellows' Home Fund was reported to be increasing, although up to the present time there appeared to be no one in need of the proposed assistance to be obtained from such an institution. During the year \$873.83 had been added to the previous total of this fund, \$12,978.92 now standing as the total, which may be devoted to this purpose whenever the need is felt for the erection of such an institution.

Last evening more than five hundred of the delegates and their friends assembled at the Gorge Park for the closing and unofficial entertainment with which the thirty-eighth annual session of the Odd Fellows came to a conclusion. Arrangements had been made with the proprietors of the Japanese tea gardens to supply the refreshments, and the dancing pavilion, which had been specially requisitioned by the order for the occasion, was the scene of a most delightful dance, which was participated in by the majority of the delegates. Although a special car service had been arranged for, the power unfortunately failed just as the dancers were returning home shortly after midnight, many having to complete the journey on foot. This mishap being the only one which came to mar the pleasure of the evening's outing.

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## CARROLL CASE FAILS; WOMAN IS IN PRISON

Judge Lampman Confirms  
Magistrate Jay's Conviction  
of Notorious Woman

After being many times before the court on charges of keeping a bawdy house and selling liquor on unlicensed premises, having been frequently fined and twice sentenced to terms of imprisonment, one of which was cancelled by the higher courts, Estelle Durlin, alias Carroll, went to jail yesterday afternoon for six months' imprisonment in accordance with a sentence passed on her this year by Police Magistrate Jay. The sentence was appealed and the prisoner yesterday afternoon failed to succeed before Judge Lampman, who confirmed the conviction.

The woman was charged with committing the offences at a house owned by her on Herald street. Men from a private detective agency were engaged to obtain the evidence, and a police raid, prearranged, was successful. Several men were found in the house and two women in addition to the convicted keeper were arrested. The two women pleaded guilty to being inmates when charged, and one of them was called for the police yesterday. She testified to the character of the house, and to the practices that went on there, as did the private detectives.

### TWO BURNED TO DEATH.

Quebec, June 13.—Two children were burned to death in a fierce fire in a tenement house yesterday. The fire broke out in the dwelling of Mr. Castonguay on St. Dominique street, and the flames spread with such rapidity that a boy, Robert, eight years of age, and Rene, five years of age were burned to death. Mrs. Castonguay narrowly escaped being suffocated, and another child had his eye badly injured by falling glass.

After the blaze had been extinguished Robert's body was found in a clothes basket, and the charred remains of Rene were found in a bedroom. Mr. Castonguay, who is a C. P. R. baggage man, escaped injury.

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Those born to-day will have calm, even dispositions and be capable of accomplishing much. They will do better under an employer or in association with others.

#### IDEAS OF A PLAIN MAN

BY DR. FRANK CRANE

Recomposition, to the philosopher (that is, to the man who knows realities and not merely appearances) is just as pure as growth.



The disgusting cartoonists by the roadside. Nature makes it repugnant to our noses because she wants us to keep away from it. It is not for us. But it is for other organisms just as important. Nature's plans are as we. It is for buzzards and worms.

Nature is as painstaking in carrying on the decay of the fallen oak as she is in attending to the development of the sapling.

Death is as clean as birth. Life's exits are as necessary as life's entrances.

And, this being true, is it not possibly true that a man's failures are as useful, wholesome and normal as his successes? And may not our chagrins, disappointments and disillusion be as salutary to the soul as our joys and loves?

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#### IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

IN THE GOODS OF HARRIET COWPER, DECEASED.

TAKE NOTICE that Probate of the Will of Harriet Cowper, late of Victoria, British Columbia, spinster, was issued on the 25th day of April, 1912, to A. J. W. Bridgman, real estate agent, of 1007 Government Street, Victoria, as sole executor.

That all persons having any claims against the estate of the said Harriet Cowper are required to send full particulars of the same, duly verified by declaration, to the undersigned on or before the 3rd day of June, 1912; and all persons owing any money to the said deceased are requested to pay the same forthwith to the said executor. After the 3rd day of June, 1912, the executor will proceed to the distribution of the estate according to the Will, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice.

Dated the 2nd day of May, 1912.

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Take notice that by order of the Courts made on the 13th day of February, A. D. 1912, I was appointed administrator of the estate of the said Joseph Henry Buscombe, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 25th day of July, A. D. 1912; and all parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

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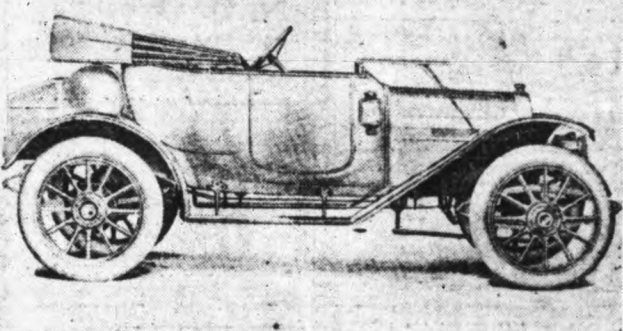
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## The New G. T. P. President

The appended account of an interview with E. J. Chamberlin, the newly appointed president of the Grand Trunk railway system appears in a recent issue of the Canadian Courier over the signature of Augustus Bridle. Mr. Chamberlin is well known here and Mr. Bridle's article will be read with considerable interest.

"Good morning, Mr. Chamberlin—congratulations." One of the heads of departments in the Grand Trunk system made it very clear that he was glad to see the desk of the late Charles M. Hays occupied by a man evolved from the system. All morning callers in had met those coming out. All over the big block of stone-built offices on lower McGill street, Montreal, hundreds of contributors to the system had said more or less openly—"Well, what else could you expect?"

Weeks now, since the certainty that Charles M. Hays was away from his desk forever, thousands of men all over the system from Montreal to Prince Rupert, and in London, the official headquarters, had been conjecturing and surmising down at Portland, Maine, and over in Chicago, where the line from Detroit makes the other United States terminus of the old system, thousands more had been taking intervals between speculations on who would get the Republican nomination in the Coliseum, to wonder whom the board of the Grand Trunk would get for a president. In Montreal some said it might be necessary to make another grab from United States roads, just as in turn Canada has taken Van Horne, Shaughnessy and Hays. Newspapers also had their opinions. Finally Chairman Smithers came to town. He said little, but did much. He was in town some days before any one on the street decided just whom the chooser of the late Charles M. Hays would choose again.

But in the office building on McGill street, there were probably a few junior clerks who, from the general feeling of things round the operative headquarters, had shrewdly surmised as to the new presidency than most men outside. The system developed by Mr. Hays had not been in the least disarranged by his death. The big machine developing our second transcontinental line went on just as it had done when the first president was living. And part of the reason was the development within the system of such men as Edson Joseph Chamberlin.

"Heads of railways are made, not born," tersely remarked a great railway builder to the writer.

The appointment was made on Friday, May 24. On Saturday the new president was quietly in his place, at the desk in the palatial room on the second floor up at the northeast corner of the block, which from the big board room at the top, with the painting of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, to the boiler-room below, spells modern Canada in the making. In the large office that makes the entrance to the president's room were the portraits of all the old-fashioned long-coated men that had made the old Grand Trunk in the all-English days of the road.

But the man at the president's desk, head of the second greatest railway corporation in Canada and one of the greatest in the world, was as modern as wireless and a great deal quieter. A man of big shoulders and thick at the chest, powerfully knit up for years of big days' work—most of the great railroad heads in Canada have been men with that sort of concentrated physical strength; he gave the impression of a tremendous economy of power. A remarkably quiet man, to whom pomp or powerful noise is only an impediment, he had the tips of his

fingers on the throttle of the machine that morning, when as yet he had not begun to take the big hold. If he was nervous he gave no sign of it. In spite of its swift and in some respects almost incoherent growth, the Grand Trunk system has no symptoms of hysteria. The wheel had turned. Edson Chamberlin of his own free will had been shoved up to place. He had the refusal. Some men in his place would have shirked it. But this man is not of the shirking kind. He knew it would be easier to remain general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific and first vice-president of the system, he knew that to succeed Charles M. Hays was about as hard a success as any in Canada; and he knew that the system knew it.

But he smiled as gently as a man who has just won the King's Plate as he sat down in the swivel chair at the big desk on which a neat pile of open letters was the only sign of business.

"Well," he said slowly, "I'm very glad if my appointment has relieved any part of the public and the newspapers of any anxiety."

"But when are you going to stop building railways, Mr. Chamberlin?"

"That stop isn't on our schedule," he said.

"What with your system and the other two transcontinentals in Canada, it seems to be almost as much of a race for supremacy as building railways."

He did not deny, however, that there is some radical difference between building railways for destruction now that may be obsolete in ten years, and building railways that develop a country and can probably never become obsolete as carriers until airplanes have the right of way.

"Yes, we expect to build about eight hundred miles this year. Six hundred miles will be branch line feeders to the main line in the west. The rest will be extensions of the main line west. We are now twenty-five miles into British Columbia. Some time next year we expect to link up Prince Rupert with the interior—so far as the steel is concerned. But not for traffic until 1914."

From Winnipeg to Prince Rupert it was obvious that the new president knew every circumstance of construction, as though it were an individual system beginning at the wheat-outlet city and the Pacific just as intimately as once he knew the Old Canada Atlantic that he himself built for J. R. Booth, from Ottawa through the lumber bush, and a few years ago handed over to the Grand Trunk. When he built that road in 1886 he had been fifteen years in railroad.

"In fact," it's just forty years to-morrow, since I became a railroad man," he said.

"But you don't look quite fifty yet. How do you keep your youth in this business?"

"I suppose a clear conscience—and letting newspapers do the real heavy end of the business." When he built the Canada Atlantic, Edson Chamberlin had little to do with newspapers. He was dealing with the primitive; just as he had been in the years when he was on the Ogdensburg and Lake Champlain line, and running steamers from Ogdensburg to Chicago, as he was after the bush line from Ottawawa was sold to the Grand Trunk, and he went down to carry out contracts in Mexico, where he became president of the Morelia and Tacambura railway; just as he again became an outposter when Charles M. Hays got him up from the land of insurrections to the Grand Trunk Pacific. Mr. Hays knew the worth of this quiet, big man, in a vast scheme of construction; just as Mr. Chamberlin, most of whose staff on the Canada Atlantic were absorbed into the Grand Trunk, knew how to pick out and keep the loyalty of other men. He is sure to carry on not only the efficiency but as well the immense popularity of the late president among an army of men.

What the new president does not know about the line from Winnipeg to Prince Rupert, now for two years a common carrier up and down the Saskatchewan valley, is not in any other man's repertoire. And he has as much knowledge as any man of what's what in the line from Winnipeg to Montreal, including at present the Canada Atlantic, which will be used this year to haul out wheat via Winnipeg Junction, Cochrane, Ottawa and Montreal.

He spoke with immense enthusiasm of the traffic development on the new main line.

"In 1910," he said, "we carried out seven million bushels from the West. In 1911 we handled seventeen millions. This year with the increased acreage under wheat and the unusually forward season in the West, we should be able to take care of thirty millions."

"And what of the future?"

"At the present rate of progress, by the most conservative estimate the increase in haulage on our lines should be ten million bushels a year—perhaps for ten years. You can see what that is bound to mean."

"But what of the government end of the line?"

"Winnipeg should be linked to Montreal so far as steel is concerned, in 1914."

"And as to the Quebec bridge?"

"That will take four years yet." Here was the succinct prediction of a second completed transcontinental from ocean to ocean within two years from now—provided there are no setbacks in reasonable development. Here was another big contribution to the commercial solidarity of Canada; making this country more and more independent as a unit of production and transportation; more a law unto herself, less dependent on the United States.

But it was scarcely necessary to ask him about reciprocity; though he made it very plain that it will be a long while yet before Canada can look for, even if she should desire, any increase in commercial independence of Great Britain.

"As long as this country goes ahead depending upon immigration and the development of production areas, we are bound to be profoundly affected by conditions in other lands." And with more emphasis he added: "In my opinion prosperity in Canada

# SOUND INVESTMENTS

The following properties selected from our lists are all safe buying at prices asked

We can recommend these lots

**METCHOSIN STREET**—Two nice, level cleared lots, close to car and in a good residential district. Good building site. Size 50x125. Terms, one-third cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months. Price, each .....\$1100

**WATERFRONT, HOLLYWOOD CRESCENT**—This is a fine grassy lot, 50x165. The street is paved and all improvements completed. A good camping or building site. One-third cash and arranged. Let us show you this lot soon. Price .....\$2550

**STANNARD AVENUE**—Good level lot, 50x125. This street is now being paved and all other improvements put on. A good class of building is going on. Terms, \$375 cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months. A splendid buy at \$1500

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### NOTICE

#### Navigable Water Protection Act

NOTICE is hereby given that Martha Amelia Sophia Barnard, wife of Frank Stillman Barnard, of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, is applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for approval of the area plans, site and description of the works proposed to be constructed in West Bay, Victoria Harbor, Victoria, British Columbia, being land situate, lying and being in the City of Victoria aforesaid, and known and numbered and described as Lots 16 to 18, 20 to 22 and part of Lot 23, Victoria City, Map 220, also three strips of land shown on the said plan as roads and an alley, closed by Order of Court, File No. 228, and has deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works and description thereof with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar-General of Titles at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that the matter will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this notice in the Canada Gazette.

Dated this 18th day of March, A. D. 1912.

By her Solicitors, Messrs. Robertson & Heisterman, 514 Port St., Victoria, B. C.

### NOTICE

#### "Navigable Waters Protection Act."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ANDREW GRAY, of Victoria, British Columbia, is applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for approval of the area plans, site and description of the works proposed to be constructed in Sitkum Water, Victoria Inner Harbor, Victoria, British Columbia, being land situate, lying and being in the City of Victoria aforesaid, and known and numbered and described as Lot Thirteen Block 22, Victoria City, Map 220, also three strips of land shown on the said plan as roads and an alley, closed by Order of Court, File No. 228, and has deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works and description thereof with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar-General of Titles in the Land Registry Office of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that the matter of the said application will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this Notice in the "Canada Gazette."

DATED this 18th day of March, A. D. 1912.

Petitioner, ANDREW GRAY.

### NOTICE

In the Matter of the Navigable Waters Protection Act, Being Chapter 115 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906.

TAKE NOTICE that Robert Paterson Rithet, of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, who is a merchant, in pursuance of Section Seven of the above named Act, has deposited plans of work and description of the proposed site thereof to be constructed upon and in front of Lots Twenty-Five (25), Twenty-Six (26) and Twenty-Seven (27), in Block 22, according to a plan of subdivision of Blocks Six (6) and Eight (8) on file in the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria and there numbered 22, with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate each in the office of the Registrar-General of Titles at Victoria, British Columbia, being the Registrar of Deeds for the District in which such work is proposed to be constructed, and has made application to the Governor in Council for approval thereof.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that at the expiration of one month from the date of this notice application will be made to the Governor in Council for approval thereof.

Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 28th day of May, A. D. 1912.

ROBERT PATERSON RITHET,

By Jackson & Phelan, His Solicitors.

### THE ANNUAL

#### POUND PARTY

of the PROTESTANT ORPHANAGE

will be held on WEDNESDAY 19, from 3 to 5. Friends are cordially

welcome.

### NOTICE

#### Navigable Waters Protection Act.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Victoria Phoenix Brewing Company, Limited, of Victoria, British Columbia, is applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for approval of the area plans, site and description of the works proposed to be constructed in West Bay, Victoria Harbor, Victoria, British Columbia, being land situate, lying and being in the City of Victoria aforesaid, and known and numbered and described as Lots One, Two, Three and Four, Block "A" of a Sub-division of Blocks Six and Eight, Viewfield, Esquimalt District, Registered Plan No. 282, and has deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works and descriptions thereof with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar-General of Titles at the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that the matter will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this notice in the Canada Gazette.

Dated this 2nd day of May, 1912.

THE VICTORIA PHOENIX BREWING COMPANY, LTD.

By Its Solicitors, Robertson & Heisterman, 514 Port Street, Victoria, B. C.

### NOTICE

#### City Assessor's Office.

City Hall, Victoria, B. C., May 30th, 1912.

I have this day posted and delivered all assessment notices of land and improvements, for the current year, for the City of Victoria.

WM. W. NORTHCOOT,

City Assessor.

### COURT OF REVISION

Notice is hereby given that the first sitting of the Annual Court of Revision of the Municipality of the City of Victoria will be held in the Council chamber, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., on Tuesday, the 9th day of July, 1912, at 10 o'clock, a.m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessment as made by the Assessor, and for revising and correcting the assessment roll.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,

C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., June 1st, 1912.

### CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY.

#### NOTICE.

At the request of the Water Commission of the City of Victoria, the Council of Oak Bay Municipality has instructed its water commissioner to temporarily restrict the hours of watering in Oak Bay.

Notice is hereby given that until further notice the use of City Water in gardens is prohibited except between the hours of 6.30 to 9.30 in the morning and 5 to 9 in the evening.

Infraction of this rule will be followed by the water being turned off.

J. S. FLOYD,

Water Commissioner.

Oak Bay, June 10, 1912.

### Tenders For Painting

Tenders for painting various schools in accordance with specifications on exhibit at the office of the Victoria School Board will be received up to 3 p. m. on Tuesday next, the 18th inst., by the Secretary of the Board.

Victoria, B. C., June 13th, 1912.

## Range Talks By The Housekeeper

### No. 4 - Subject - More Important Features



"You may buy a 'Kootenay' range, as I did, without a Reservoir, then—Decide you want one. Well, call on the McClary dealer and have one sent up—there's a place provided for it on the 'Kootenay.' Attaching it is an easy job. No stove expert required—a screw-driver is the only tool you need. I put my Reservoir on in a jiffy."

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has a Drop Oven Door—it makes a good shelf for sliding things into the Oven. The handle of the door clamps Oven tight—or leaves it open a little bit if you desire to cool it.

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"It's easy to fit the 'Kootenay' with an ideal hot water equipment—one that will not increase fuel consumption in the least."

"All in all you'll find the 'Kootenay' Range the best you can buy, and—the Price is reasonable—just about what you'd gladly pay for a perfect cooking and baking range."

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**A. J. C. GALLETT, - - - Manager, Victoria**

**BEQUEST FOR BAPTISTS.**

Vancouver, June 14.—The late John Morton, a Vancouver pioneer who settled here before the famous fire which destroyed Vancouver 26 years ago in his last will and testament provides for the religious and educational objects of the Baptist church in British Columbia, by a bequest of \$100,000 to be held by trustees to be appointed in the first instance by his widow, Mrs. Ruth Morton. Mr. Morton took up a homestead in what is now the west end of the city.

**PANAMA CONGRESS.**

Nelson Board of Trade Will Send Delegation to Calgary.

Nelson, June 14.—The Nelson Board of Trade will send a strong delegation to the Panama congress at Calgary on June 28 and 29. An attempt is being made to arrange a car of twenty citizens. At the Board of Trade meeting last night a strong point was made of the commercial importance of Alberta and British Columbia and the strong geographical ties that bind them together.

**FRENCH WHEAT DUTY.**

Paris, June 14.—The chamber of deputies yesterday passed a bill, admitting wheat free on condition that an equivalent weight of flour is exported from France by the importer within three months, or an equivalent

weight of biscuits within four months. The high price of wheat and its scarcity have been causing considerable apprehension in France, and it is believed that this action will temporarily relieve the market.

**SWISS COLONY IN ROCKIES.**

Montreal, June 14.—The first party of Swiss guides and their wives to form the nucleus of the permanent Swiss colony which the C. P. R. is establishing in the ready-made Swiss village of Edelweiss, near Golden, in the Rocky mountains, arrived in Montreal yesterday and left last night for their new home. There were twelve adults in the party.

**WHEAT RECEIPTS.**

Wheat receipts in carloads follow:

	To-day.	Last Year.
Minneapolis	114	85
Duluth	22	32
Winnipeg	248	148
Chicago	13	13
Kansas City	12	24

**FINANCIAL NOTES.**

Bradstreet's clearances: Wheat, 3,606,000 bushels.  
Copper exports for week ending June 13th, 4,580 tons.  
Texas generally clear and temperatures rising.  
Missouri grain belt, unsettled, showers cooler. Kansas and Nebraska, generally fair to night, unsettled, cooler.

**Financial News****LIQUIDATION IN NEW YORK MARKET**

Long Holders Awaiting the Political Outcome of Next Few Days

(Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
New York, June 14.—There was a lot of scattered liquidation in the stock market to-day, many of the long holders preferring to await political developments of the next few days. Long holders were also a seller not regarding as favorable the present situation.  
The news from Chicago in regard to the contests over the various delegates to the Republican convention has afforded the greatest discussion and served to exert somewhat of a restraining influence. It seemingly the desire of prominent market factors to hold the stock market steady around present prices pending further developments.  
It is believed that underlying conditions warrant the expectancy of appreciation in quoted security values unless the situation is complicated by the various investigations now being conducted, or by an injudicious attitude on the part of politicians.

	High.	Low.	Bid.
Amal. Copper	85 1/2	85 1/4	85 1/4
Amn. Beet Sugar	74 1/2	74 1/4	74 1/4
Amn. Can.	34 1/2	34 1/4	34 1/4
Amn. Car. & Foundry	58 1/2	58 1/4	58 1/4
Amn. Cotton Oil	52 1/2	52 1/4	52 1/4
Amn. Locomotive	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4
Amn. Smelting	85 1/2	85 1/4	85 1/4
Amn. Sugar	19 1/2	19 1/4	19 1/4
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	145 1/2	145 1/4	145 1/4
Anacosta	44 1/2	44 1/4	44 1/4
Atchafalpa	106 1/2	106 1/4	106 1/4
B. & O.	108 1/2	108 1/4	108 1/4
B. R. T.	88 1/2	88 1/4	88 1/4
C. P. R.	286 1/2	286 1/4	286 1/4
Central Leather	25 1/2	25 1/4	25 1/4
C. & O.	7 1/2	7 1/4	7 1/4
C. & W.	17 1/2	17 1/4	17 1/4
C. pref.	302 1/2	302 1/4	302 1/4
C. M. & St. P.	102 1/2	102 1/4	102 1/4
C. pref.	141 1/2	141 1/4	141 1/4
C. pref.	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/4
C. pref.	141 1/2	141 1/4	141 1/4
Con. Gas	141 1/2	141 1/4	141 1/4
C. M. & St. P.	34 1/2	34 1/4	34 1/4
Goldfield Cons.	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/4
G. N. pref.	123 1/2	123 1/4	123 1/4
G. N. Ore	82 1/2	82 1/4	82 1/4
G. N. Ore	126 1/2	126 1/4	126 1/4
Inter-Metro.	294 1/2	294 1/4	294 1/4

**NEW YORK MONEY.**

New York, June 14.—Money on call steady, 2 1/2 per cent.; ruling rate, 2 1/2 per cent. Time loans easy; 60 days, 3 per cent.; 90 days, 3 per cent.; 6 months, 3 1/2 per cent. Close—Prime mercantile paper, 2 1/4 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.87 1/2 for 60 days, and at \$4.87 1/2 for demand. Commercial bills, \$4.81 Mexican dollars, 48c. Bonds—Governments steady; railroads heavy. Bar silver, 49c.

**NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.**

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
New York, June 14.—Open High Low. Close.  
Jan. 11.77 11.77 11.77 11.81-82  
Feb. 11.87 11.89 11.83 11.88-89  
March 11.93 11.94 11.92 11.93-95  
May 11.40 11.40 11.40 11.38-39  
June 11.46 11.50 11.41 11.45-46  
July 11.51 11.57 11.49 11.57-58  
Aug. 11.54 11.60 11.53 11.59-61  
Sept. 11.62 11.71 11.62 11.68-70  
Oct. 11.75 11.81 11.74 11.80-81  
Nov. 11.75 11.81 11.74 11.80-81  
Dec. 11.75 11.81 11.74 11.80-81

**LONDON COPPER.**

London, June 14.—Copper close: Spot, £28 2s. 6d. off 2s. 6d. sales, 500 tons. Futures, £28 15s. off 2s. 6d.; sales, 2,100 tons.

**LOAN A FAILURE.**

London, June 14.—The New Zealand £4,500,000 three and a half per cent. loan for two years proved a fiasco, 85 per cent. being left on the underwriters' hands.

**BEAR DAY IN THE GRAIN MARKET**

Western Crop Reports Are More Optimistic Than for Some Time

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
Chicago, June 14.—Another bear day for wheat, and there was considerable bearish talk in regard to July contracts as scattered holders do not like the near approach of delivery day, and the reports of early harvests in the southwest. Some of the pit leaders were expressing the belief that the July will work back closer to the September level if the early month is not given some support by La Salle street interests who own the cash wheat.  
On the whole, the western crop reports are a little more optimistic than for some time past, wheat fields well advanced filling much better since the rains. So far there is nothing but flattering news from the spring wheat country, but this will not last forever. All the late reports from all the big soft wheat states east of the river suggest that many sections will not get more than the seed, and that mills generally in that territory will be shipping wheat in instead of having a big surplus to rush to Chicago early in the season as usual. Everything considered, it is a good fighting market in wheat with the best support at present in the deferred months, and any accident to the northwest crop will mean a complete reversal of feeling and action in this market.  
There are enough elements entering into the situation in the corn trade to make the cleverest leaders keep their eyes open, and the average trader is doing well to act conservatively at least. The cold wet weather of late is not what the corn belt needs to make good for lost time in planting.

Open High Low Close				
Wheat—				
July	107 1/2	107 1/2	106 1/4	106 1/2
Sept.	107 1/2	107 1/2	106 1/4	106 1/2
Dec.	107 1/2	107 1/2	106 1/4	106 1/2
Corn—				
July	74 1/4	74 1/4	73 1/4	73 1/2
Sept.	72 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	71 3/4
Dec.	69 1/2	69 1/2	68 1/2	68 3/4
Oats—				
July	50 1/2	50 1/2	49 1/2	49 3/4
Sept.	41 1/4	41 1/4	40 1/4	40 3/4
Dec.	41 1/4	41 1/4	40 1/4	40 3/4
Barley—				
July	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Sept.	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Lard—				
Sept.	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Dec.	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Short Ribs—				
July	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Sept.	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2







## What Have You Got to Sell?

Our staff of salesmen has been considerably increased of late and our business has doubled within a few months. This is good news for you as we are in a better position to sell your property.

Please let us know what you want us to sell in lots, residences, acreage or business property.

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**Stinson Real Estate Company**  
Sayward Block Douglas Street

## Victoria West

120x120, almost adjoining old Indian reserve, on Edward St., with 8-room house; 1/4 cash, balance to arrange. Price for a few days ... **\$13,000**

2 1/2 ACRES, Shawigan, close to waterfront, all good land. Price for quick sale, cash ... **\$400**

LOT 52x135, Olympia Avenue, with oak trees, 1-3 cash, 6, 12, and 18 months ... **\$1150**

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IF YOU ARE looking for a bargain it will pay you to investigate this: 120 ft. on Belmont and 100 ft. on Ryan street; price \$2,500; 1-3 cash, balance arranged. See W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block, Phone 3366.

HAVE YOU SECURED that lot in Panama Park? See National Realty Co., 1222 Government street. Open evenings.

PANAMA PARK—Lots for homes or investment. See our window for large plan in watercolor. National Realty Co., 1222 Government street.

RODERICK STREET—Close to Douglas street, 4 room house on lot 40x130; a bargain at \$1,800. Don't miss it. House rents for \$15 per month. Price \$1,800; 1-3 cash, balance arranged. See W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block.

IT SPEAKS FOR ITSELF—219 lots in Panama Park sold in ten days. Secure yours now. National Realty Co., 1222 Government street.

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PRICE OF PANAMA PARK LOTS, \$250 to \$500 each; smallest lots are 50x120; street improvements, sidewalks, etc.; \$250 down and \$10 per month. National Realty Co., 1222 Government street.

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BEST PART OF FAIRFIELD—Owner leaving for Europe must sell at once. 5 roomed, new, modern, beautiful, complete with furniture, immediate possession; sacrifice price, \$4,000, terms arranged. National Realty Co., 1222 Government street.

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ASQUITH STREET—SNAP—Fine lot, no rock, near Hamilton, 1-3 cash, balance arranged. See W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block.

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GARDEN CITY—Garden City, lots 50x120, from \$500 to \$2,000, close station, city water and light; service; view; dirt; building; cleared land round city. Edwin Frampton, Realty, corner View and Broad.

ANOTHER BARGAIN for you, Mr. Builder, 4 lots on Finlayson street, 50x120, 1-3 cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months. W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block.

THE FINEST BUSINESS CORNER in Hollywood, double lot, 250 and 260 Central Building.

ANOTHER BARGAIN for you, Mr. Builder, 4 lots on Finlayson street, 50x120, 1-3 cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months. W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block.

STURGEON ACRES LOTS, on car line, only \$75. Grubb & Letts.

MCKENZIE STREET—A very large six roomed modern bungalow, attic floored, space for 2 more rooms, large lot, nice lawn. \$5,750. Grubb & Letts.

A GOOD SPECULATION—3 1/4 acres at Shawigan Lake, over 300 feet waterfront and is cheap at \$2,000; 1-3 cash, balance arranged. See W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block, Phone 3366.

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TWO LARGE LOTS on Chapman lane at rent, each \$125. Grubb & Letts.

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AT BAY ROAD—Chances for \$1,000; 1-3 cash and terms. Edwin Frampton, Phone 3366.

### REAL ESTATE

SEE W. S. D. SMITH FOR LOTS. \$250 CASH—View lot, Swan Lake, bargain, corner, \$500; only \$150 cash. Edwin Frampton Realty.

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FOR SALE—I have three houses; small payment down, balance like rent. John Nesbitt, Cloverdale avenue.

YOU WILL GET A BARGAIN if you see W. S. D. Smith, if it is a house you want. 221 Sayward Block.

COME TO ME FOR LOTS—I have 50 to choose from, close in, within mile and a half circle, easy terms, small payment down; low price, from \$500 up. John Nesbitt, Cloverdale avenue.

YOU WILL GET A BARGAIN if you see W. S. D. Smith, if it is a house you want. 221 Sayward Block.

FOR A QUICK SALE, if the price is right, list with W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block, Phone 3366.

LANGFORD LAKE—The choicest piece of waterfront on the lake, nine and a half acres, five acres cleared and under cultivation, large frontage on Goldstream road; price, including modern, well built, five room house, with hot and cold water, open fireplace, basement, etc., also gasoline pumping plant, \$5,500, on very easy terms, to be paid over two years. For the country farmer, small rancher or country home seeker, this is the best opportunity ever offered. Anderson & Son, Room 7, Green Block, Broad St. Phone 445.

FOR A QUICK SALE, if the price is right, list with W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block, Phone 3366.

SCOTT STREET—Just west of Cook street, north side, with fine slope to the south, 60x120 feet; price \$5,000, third cash, Anderson & Son, 700 Green Block, Broad street. Phone 445.

YOU WILL GET A BARGAIN if you see W. S. D. Smith, if it is a house you want. 221 Sayward Block.

TOLMIE AVENUE—50x138, with piece on lot 50x50, forming an L shape; price \$1,100. Anderson & Son, 700 Green Block, Broad street.

FOUL BAY ROAD—South of Oak Bay car terminus, large lot, 60x300; a snap for \$2,750, terms. Room 4, Haynes Building, Port street.

WATERFRONT—53 acres, north of Mill Road, a good buy at \$250 an acre. Apply Room 4, Haynes Building, Port street.

GEORGE STREET—6 roomed house, with a good view of the sea; price \$1,500, 1-3 cash, 6, 12, 18 months. G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government street.

FOR A QUICK SALE, if the price is right, list with W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block, Phone 3366.

RICHMOND AVE. SOUTH—Lot close to car, cheap lot in Hollywood Park; price \$1,500, on terms. G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government street.

FAIRFIELD—A 6 roomed house, one minute from car, going for \$2,200; this is cheap. G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government street.

IF YOU WANT A BARGAIN in an 800 lot, see the list. W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block.

GEORGE STREET—Double corner on Ryan, 120x120, \$2,500, with a quarter cash, Cecil street, 2 lots between King's and Queen's, each \$2,000. Edwin Frampton, Phone 3366.

A FINE CORNER on Roseberry and King's, size 50x120; price \$1,400; 1-3 cash, 6, 12, 18 months. G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government street.

SNAP—Good lot on Shelbourne street, three lots off Edmondson road; price for quick sale \$1,000, good terms; size 60x120. Box 335, city.

A SNAP—Fine homestead in Ker Addition, Gorge, very high location, some rock, size 160x160; only \$500; \$250 cash, balance 6, 12, 18 and 24 months. By S. H. J. Mason, corner of Hillside and Quadra street, Phone 1202. Open evenings.

### REAL ESTATE

STRAWBERRY VALE, 7 acres of good ranch land, near B. C. Electric Railway line, \$200 per acre; 1-3 cash, balance 3 and 5 years. Camosun Realty Co., 1009 Douglas St.

WHAT HAVE YOU IN ACREAGE? Let me have it if you want a quick turn. W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block, Phone 3366.

VATES ST. SNAP—60x120, near Hamilton, for a few days at, per front foot \$200. Knott Bros. & Brown, Ltd. 214 Port St.

ARE YOU thinking about going ranching? This is your last chance to secure a forty acre ranch on Vancouver Island, cheap, all good soil; \$15.00 an acre, \$50 cash and \$10 monthly. Open evenings. Alvo von Alvensleben, Ltd., 439 Port street.

IF YOU BUY one of our forty acre tracts you are making one of the safest investments that can be made for cheap land on Vancouver Island, as they are sure to double in value in the next two years. You have over four years to pay for 40 acres; \$50 down and \$10 a month. Alvo von Alvensleben, Ltd., 439 Port street.

DON'T PUT IT OFF any longer if you intend to see us about that forty acre farm, all good soil, easy to cultivate, watered, roads and in settled district; also a ready market from nearby towns. Open evenings. Alvo von Alvensleben, Ltd., 439 Port street.

THE FINEST SHOOTING and fishing on Vancouver Island is in the vicinity of our forty acre farms; several good sized lakes and rivers nearby, also a fine beach about a mile and a half away; 40 acres, \$15 an acre, \$50 cash and \$10 a month. Open evenings. Alvo von Alvensleben, Ltd., 439 Port street.

OAK BAY—St. Patrick Street, next to corner of Central avenue, 50x120, easily the cheapest buy on this street at \$1,000. For terms see Allen & Son, 1236 Government street. Phone 1650.

NEWPORT AVENUE—Fine building lot, 50x110, for two days only at \$1,450. Allen & Son, 1236 Government street. Phone 1650.

OLIVER STREET—Beautiful, grassy lot, 50x130, next to corner of McNeil, \$1,200. Allen & Son, 1236 Government street. Phone 1650.

HOLLYWOOD CRESCENT—St. Charles St., large corner, \$1,750, on good terms. The best buy left in this district. Allen & Son, 1236 Government street. Phone 1650.

MAPLEWOOD ROAD—Five large lots, corner, at \$175 per lot. Allen & Son, 1236 Government street. Phone 1650.

SNAPS—Triple corner on Cedar Hill St., inside city limits, 100x150x118; will make three lots, with three frontages for building. Owner, Saskatoon, says make a quick sale, no price is \$1,500, on terms. T. P. McConnell.

A BIG WEEK-END CUT, \$1400, before \$1800, acreage. For particulars, Box 4170, Times.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY  
WANTED—Houses in all parts of the city. W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block.

MAN WANTED to deliver circulars. Apply 229 Cook street.

J. PATRICK, contractor for rock blasting, 943 Pandora street, Victoria, B. C. 212.

WANTED—Houses in all parts of the city. W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block.

TO LET—Large, furnished, front room for two ladies or gents; partial board; bath, c. s. e. p. beds. 1004 Fairfield street, corner Vancouver.

WANTED—Houses in all parts of the city. W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block.

FURNISHED HOUSE to let for summer months. Apply 557 Vining street, city.

LISTING WANTED. W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS—Take notice that my property on Shelbourne street, Lot 14, Block 3, is off the market. E. B. Knowlton.

LISTING WANTED. W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block.

DRESSMAKING—Miss Roberts, 29 Menzies street. Phone 1173.

WANTED—Salesman for wholesale ware house; must have experience in field and produce; good salary to right man. Apply P. O. Box 62.

COMFORTABLE ROOM and board, 37 Blanchard, walking distance.

PARTNER WANTED with about \$5,000 (brokerage) Englishman preferred; security given; fullest particulars and banker's reference. Interview, 214 Box A-135.

FOR RENT—Four roomed shack, 1256 Walnut street. W. M. Price.

GIRL WANTED for fruit and candy store. 261 Cook street.

LISTING WANTED. W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block.

ACTIVE MAN with business experience and some money to invest with services and some interest in bona fide enterprise. Box 427, Times.

ITALIAN FURNISHED ROOMS, with furnished bedroom, stove and corner, etc. for \$2 a month. 261 Cook street, corner Oxford.

IT'S PLY TIME and high time you sprayed your cows if you are a farmer. Make money for you. Conkey's Fly Knocker saves waste feed and energy. Will not taste the milk. Money back if you are not satisfied. The Backman-Kerr Milling Co., 142 Broad street.

### TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Detroit—R. H. E.  
Detroit ..... 4 8 3  
Philadelphia ..... 3 6 1  
Batteries—Willet and Thomas, Egan.  
At Chicago—Chicago-Boston game postponed; rain.  
At St. Louis—R. H. E.  
St. Louis ..... 5 6 1  
New York ..... 7 15 1  
Batteries—Mitchell, E. Brown and Kritchell; Fisher, Quinn and Street, Sweeney.

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Boston—R. H. E.  
Boston ..... 3 6 4  
Cincinnati ..... 7 10 3  
Batteries—Hess and Gowdy; Fromme and McLean.  
At New York—R. H. E.  
New York ..... 1 4 2  
Pittsburgh ..... 6 11 1  
Batteries—Willet, Tetreau and Meyers; Wilson; Camnitz and Gibson.  
At Brooklyn—R. H. E.  
Brooklyn ..... 11 12 2  
St. Louis ..... 2 3 1  
Batteries—Rucker and Miller; Willis, Woodburn, Howell, Dale and Bliss.  
At Philadelphia—R. H. E.  
Philadelphia ..... 5 6 3  
Chicago ..... 7 9 2  
Batteries—Seaton, Wallace, Curtiss and Killifer; Graham; Reulbach, Lavender and Archer.

### THREE MEN KILLED IN RAILWAY WRECK

Freight Train and Light Engine Collide—Traffic Interrupted

Fort William, Ont., June 14.—Three men were killed and one seriously injured in a head-on collision between a westbound freight and an eastbound light engine and caboose two miles east of Red Rock.

The dead: Engineer Ross, Fireman Burke, Brakeman McQuillan.

Seriously injured: Brakeman Allen. All the telegraph poles were carried away and wires between here and the east are down.

One of the freights had some stock cars attached, and it is reported that one or more of the stockmen were injured.

The Toronto Limited's passengers from the west were transferred to the steamer Keewatin. This indicates considerable damage to the track.

### MANY MEN ARE RETURNING TO WORK

Strike Leaders Are Now Ready to Interview the Government

London, June 14.—Evidence that the strike leaders realize that a national strike is a forlorn hope and that they are eager for a plausible pretext to make peace was afforded by the appointment yesterday of an emergency committee including Ben Tillett, Harry Gosling and other leaders "to be ready to interview the government should their services be required."

There is a daily increase in the number of men working at the London docks and should the efforts of the ship-owners and trade port authorities to break down the monopoly of work on the Thames, possessed by the charter workmen under the ancient charter succeeded, the backbone of the strike will be broken as this monopoly also prevents a general resumption of work on the Thames.

### MINE DISPUTE.

Ottawa, June 14.—J. C. Watters, of Ottawa, former of Victoria, president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, has been appointed representative of the men to consider the dispute between the Inverness Coal Company and its miners.

ACTING PREMIER.

Ottawa, June 14.—Hon. G. H. Perley, minister without portfolio and a resident of Ottawa, is acting premier during Premier Borden's absence in Nova Scotia. It is understood that Mr. Perley will fill the premier's shoes during his longer absence in England later on.

SENTENCED FOR FORGERY.

Toronto, June 14.—Charles Lyons, secretary of the W. T. Lyons Company, and a well known business man, was yesterday sentenced to two years' imprisonment for a series of forgeries extending over four years and totalling \$23,000. He forged renewal notes in customers' names.

SUBMARINE DISASTER.

French Court of Inquiry Exonerates Officers of Battleship.

Paris, June 14.—The board of inquiry into the causes of the catastrophe to the French submarine Vendémiaire on Saturday last, when 21 naval officers and crew were drowned after a collision between the submarine and the battleship St. Louis, found that the collision was unavoidable and no blame was to be attached to the St. Louis.

Sixty-five of our Regular \$25 to \$35 Men's Suits at \$21.75. Your size is here. Don't miss this opportunity. J. N. Harvey, Ltd., 614 Yates St.

## Waterfront Lots

Two choice ones on Portage Inlet, about a third of an acre, cleared, ready to build on. Close in. Each

**\$1,500**

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### J. T. REDDING

823 Catherine St.  
Phones 2204 and L1292

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## Extra Special BUYS

BAY ST., just off Cedar Hill Rd. This is on the south side and is a snap; \$300 cash, 6, 12, and 18 months. Only ... **\$1350**

SOUTH HAMPSHIRE RD., just south of car line, very beautiful lots. We have two, 98x180, to lane, that can be bought on usual terms, for ... **\$3250**

CLIVE DRIVE, close to Oak Bay car line, full size lot, usual terms. For a quick sale ... **\$1425**

### THE TOMLINSON CO.

1106 Douglas St., Opp. Balmoral

## BLUEJACKETS WILL REPLACE STRIKERS

French Government Decides to Assist Steamship Companies

Have, June 14.—The French liner La Provence arrived yesterday. A number of firemen and sailors who had learned of the strike, left yesterday afternoon. M. Delcasse, minister of marine, has informed the company that in the event of the defection of La Provence's crew they would be replaced by bluejackets. It is understood that the cabinet has under consideration measures to prevent sudden desertions by crews at the moment of sailing.

Strike May Spread.

Marseilles, June 14.—The secretary of the Seamen's Union said today that if the government provides bluejackets for the liner La Provence, the Marseilles men would strike immediately.

## FIERCE BATTLE NEAR TRIPOLI CITY

Turkish Forces Defeated—Over 400 Left Dead on the Field

Washington, D. C., June 14.—According to reports received here a fierce battle was fought between a combined force of Turkish soldiers and Arab forces and the Italian troops at Leba, near Tripoli City. The Turkish forces were defeated and retreated, leaving 421 dead soldiers on the battlefield. The Italians lost 31 men killed and 51 wounded.

## NO CHARTERS ON COAST.

San Francisco, June 14.—No charters of foreign or coastwise vessels have been reported during the past few days. Brokers say practically all the available tonnage is now under agreement and that rates will necessarily remain high for the next few months. C. P. Coles, for many years a ship and freight broker in this city, but who has recently established himself in business in Vancouver, B. C., is here on a brief visit and will return to-day. Mr. Coles has turned his brokerage business over to his partner, Mr. Bowdy.

The British barque Lydgate, 153 days out to-day from Oregon for the United Kingdom, was spoken on May 29, in lat 41 N., long 30 W. She has on board a cargo of 87,420 cents wheat, valued at \$123,845, cleared by the Portland Flour Mills.

Croquet sets, \$2.00 up; tennis racket, baseball and increase goods at Victoria Sporting Goods Company, 1010 Broad Street, Pemberton Block.

The British ship Wm. T. Lewis arrived at Dublin on Monday, 112 days out from the Columbia river, with a cargo of 77,000 cents wheat, valued at \$115,515. This is the smartest passage so far of the 1911-12 Oregon grain fleet.

## Underpriced

Splendid half-acre blocks on Wilkinson Road, close to the Saanich Suburban.

Acreage round about is sold at \$1000. We are holding these blocks at prices of nine months ago.

Half Acre **\$375** Half Acre **\$100 CASH**

These are beautiful, sloping blocks, splendid soil and drainage, in the valley of the Colquitz and within easy reach of the car. We have but a few of these. Arrange to see them at once.

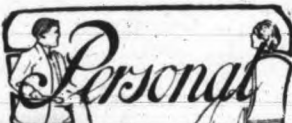
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721 Yates Street. Phone 471

## Between Fairfield Road and Fairfield Terrace

Several choice homesites in this most desirable locality. Lots 50x110, beautifully treed and commanding excellent view. This section is moving very rapidly and prices are due for a sharp advance.

NOTE TO-DAY'S PRICE ... **\$2500**  
On very easy terms.  
**BRUBAKER & MEHAREY**  
Phone 3308. Merchants Bank Building



G. Dobson, of Vancouver, has arrived at the King Edward hotel.

G. W. Elvin, of Vancouver, is registered at the Westholme hotel.

Miss A. M. Dixon, of Sacramento, is registered at the James Bay hotel.

A. Dinnes and Mrs. Dinnes, of Windermere, England, are staying at the James Bay hotel.

Percival D. Witherby has returned from Duncan and is a guest at the James Bay hotel.



## A Few Specialties Just Arrived

SARDINES, in glass, with tomato sauce, curry, Truffles, Spiced, also with lemon, jar ..... 60¢  
 GENUINE FRENCH ANCHOVIES, in salt, per tin ..... 50¢  
 MARRONS, in vanilla syrup, per bottle ..... \$1.00  
 MARRONS, in brandy, per bottle ..... \$1.25  
 CUSTARD POWDER, large tins, per tin ..... 25¢  
 CUSTARD POWDER, per packet ..... 10¢  
 CHOCOLATE BLANC MANGE POWDER, per package ..... 10¢  
 FRUIT JELLY, per package ..... 20¢  
 COFFEE MOULDS, 2 packages ..... 25¢  
 SWISS TRIFLE, 2 packages ..... 25¢  
 RASPBERRY TRIFLE, 2 packages ..... 25¢  
 KKOVAH JELLY, per package ..... 15¢

Dixie H. Ross &amp; Company

Independent Grocers, 1217 Government St. Tel. 50, 51, 52. Liquor Dept. Tel. 53.

## A "BUCK" Liberty Range Costs You \$29.75

One-third cash, balance arranged. We're not beating around the bush (we have decided on "Buck's"), and you may as well save your time and labor in looking about for better value.

This particular range has 6 holes, made on the same quality lines as the larger and higher priced goods and the manufacturers and ourselves guarantee them to bake and heat satisfactorily.

IT'S A PRETTY RANGE—SEE IT, AND ALSO 2 OR 3 DOZEN OTHER "BUCK" STYLES AND SIZES.

PHONE 2440  
**ISLAND HARDWARE CO.**  
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Try White Canvas. Cool, Clean and Comfortable.  
 All Styles. \$1.75 to \$3.50 Per Pair

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Mill, Mine, Logging, Fishermen's and Engineers' Supplies. Paints, Oils and Varnishes.

Agents W. B. Dick & Co., London, Eng., celebrated Lubricating Oils for automobiles and motor launches. Highest grade. Satisfaction guaranteed. Barrels, 75c gallon; 5 gallon drums, \$1.00 gallon; 1 gallon cans, \$1.25. (Imperial gallon)

## SYLVESTER'S HENFOOD FOR POULTRY

Makes hens lay, being a mixture of all grains and grit so proportionally mixed that everything essential for egg production is there. Try a sack and watch results. Per 100 lbs. .... \$2.25

709 Yates SYLVESTER POULTRY SUPPLY CO. Phone 413

## KNIGHTHOOD FOR PREMIER M'BRIDE

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of House of Commons in Conservative interest for Provencher, general election, 1878; appointed judge of Court of King's Bench, 1879; chief justice of Manitoba, 1903; three times appointed administrator of government during absence of Lieutenant-governor, 1904-1909; retired on pension after 39 years on bench, 1909; is vice-chancellor Manitoba University.

John McDougald, C. M. G., commissioner or deputy minister of customs, was born at Blue Mountain, Pictou, N. S., on March 13, 1848. He was for many years the representative of Pictou in the House of Commons, in fact holding his seat from 1881 to 1896. In the latter year he was appointed commissioner of customs. Mr. McDougald is regarded as a conscientious, painstaking official, and has a wide knowledge of the commercial and economic conditions of Canada.

The Order itself.

The most distinguished order of St. Michael and St. George was originally established in 1818 to commemorate the placing of the fort on the island under the protection of Great Britain and was limited at first to natives of those islands and of Malta; as well as those subjects who might hold high and confidential positions in the Mediterranean. It is only about forty years ago that it was made applicable to those who had served the state in the self-governing and crown colonies.

The order comprises the Sovereign, the Grand Master or Principal Knight, Grand Cross, foreign princes and persons of distinction, Knights Grand Cross (G.C.M.G.), Knights Commanders (K.C.M.G.) and Companions. Its officers are the Prelate (now Rt. Rev. H. H. Montgomery, formerly bishop of Tasmania and now a prebendary of St. Paul's), the Chancellor (now the Duke of Argyll), a Secretary, King-at-arms and Registrar. The colonial office is the chancery of the order.

The badge of the order is white enamel and resembling a Maltese cross, but with seven arms instead of four. On one side it represents the Archangel Michael encountering Satan, and on the other St. George and the Dragon, around each design being the motto: "Auspiciis melioris aevi"

("The token of a better age") and above the whole badge is a crown at which it is to the collar of a Knight Grand Cross or the ribbon of a Knight Commander. The star of a Knight Commander consists of four rays of silver with narrow ones of gold between, while in the centre is the figure of St. George with the motto, the four arms of the St. George cross appearing behind the figure. The ribbon is of black blue with a gold and silver border.

Canada's list of titles is growing by leaps and bounds. Most of the holders are Knights, although there are a few peers. The list of Canadians, that is Canadians by birth or residence who are peers, comprises the Earl of Elgin and Kincardine, Baron Aylmer, Baron De Blaquiere, Mount Stephen, De Longueville, Piers, Strathcona and Mount Royal, and Baroness Macdonald of Epswich.

There are ten baronets and the remainder of the distinguished throng is composed of Knights Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George; Knights Commanders of the same order; Knights Grand Cross of the Bath; Knights of the Bath, Knights Bachelor Knights of the Royal Victorian Order, and a host of gentlemen who were C.M.G., I.S.O., D.S.O., etc., after their names.

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## Sale of Black Silk Coats

This remarkable sale comes at a time when it is most appreciated. As these are delightful summer coats in satin, taffeta, messaline and lace. All imported coats and each one an exclusive style. About 36 in all. Values up to \$35.00.

Special Price \$18.75

## Lingerie Dresses

All that is pretty and stylish you will find in this charming collection of Lingerie Dresses, muslin, voile and marquisette, Dutch, square and high neck, with set-in and kimono sleeves. Values to \$18.75. Sale price ..... \$9.75

## Millinery

As a special inducement for Friday and Saturday in our millinery salon we are offering a beautiful collection of smart trimmed hats at considerably below half price. Regular values up to \$12.50. Special ..... \$5.00

## Children's Ready-to-Wear Hats

In Milan and Pekoe straws, trimmed pretty bands, cords and ribbon. Values \$3.00. Sale price ..... \$2.00  
 Values \$2.00, sale price ..... \$1.25  
 Values \$1.50, sale price ..... 75¢  
 Values \$1.00, sale price ..... 50¢

## Very Special Offering of Handbags

A splendid assortment of all the latest styles from Paris, London and New York. In velvet, satin, suede, leather and tapestry.  
 Values \$9.50 to \$15. Special ..... \$7.00  
 Values \$6.50 to \$8.50. Special ..... \$4.50  
 Values \$5.00 to \$6.50. Special ..... \$3.50  
 Values \$4.00 to \$5.00. Special ..... \$2.50  
 Values \$2.00 to \$3.00. Special ..... \$1.25

Ladies' Outfitters

Finch &amp; Finch

Yates Street

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Tunic Suits for little boys in good English prints and chambrays, all shades in striped goods, also plain shades in contrasting collar and cuffs, fast colors, good washing. Regular \$3.50 and \$4.25. Special ..... \$1.95

## Blouse Department

Ladies' Shirtwaists in mercerized linen, strictly tailored, perfect fitting, in colors white with blue, tan and mauve stripes, also tan with stripe of blue, brown and black. Special price ..... \$4.00

Allover Embroidery Blouse, with set-in sleeve and low neck. Several different designs of embroidery, trimmed tereon lace insertion. Regular \$3 for ..... \$2.00

About four dozen White Mercerized Cotton Waists, front prettily embroidered, trimmed tereon lace, square neck, with piping of blue and pink, elbow length sleeve. Regular \$1.50. Special ..... 95¢

## Whitewear Special

Six dozen Nightgowns, French cambrie, slipover style, round neck, dainty yoke of embroidery, wide ribbon insertion, short embroidery sleeve. Very special \$1.50

Ten dozen Nightgowns in fine lawn, V-neck, long sleeve, embroidery and tucked yoke, trimmed with fine lawn frills. Very special at ..... \$1.00

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Stannard Ave., 50 ft. Snap at \$1250, 1/2 cash; and another large, deep lot on Arnold, same terms. \$1300

\$500 Cash. Price \$1550—Quadra St. close corner of Trimble, 54x135.

\$1250. Chandler Avenue snap, 44 x 154, 1/2 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18.

\$1150 Walnut St., Best part, 18 x 112, 1/2 cash, near car.

\$1250; Lee Ave., Oak Bay, 1/2 cash and terms.

\$600—Parkdale Lots—Several snaps, 50x112, fine land, no rock, small cash payment, 10 minutes from Douglas car.

Parkdale, \$1900—Pretty 4-room cottage, fenced lot; cash only \$300; splendid value. Ten minutes from car.

\$950—Corner on Bethune Avenue and Saanich Road, 64 x 120; also next lot, 64 x 140, \$900, 1/2 cash and terms. Choice homestead.

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Cloverdale Ave., lots at \$650 and \$700; only \$75 cash and terms.

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## Sale by Auction

OF

## Victoria Sealing Fleet

Instructed by the Victoria Sealing Co., Ltd., we will sell, WITHOUT RESERVE, at Capt. Grant's Wharf, Point Ellice Bridge, Victoria, B. C., on

## Wednesday, June 26th

2 P. M.

## The Victoria Sealing Fleet

Names and Tonnage as follows:

British Vessels—Victoria, 68.40; Viva, 52.41; Saucy Lass, 42.14; Ocean Rover, 63.25; Saddle Turpel, 60.55; Ocean Belle, 56.74; Otto, 55.67; Libbie, 52.66; Geneva, 100; Dora Seward, 79.52; Doris, 64.11; Favourite, 79.54; Diana, 53.93; Thirator, 57.93; Annie E. Paint, 51.58; Ariels, 58.28; Aurora, 43.41; C. G. Cox, 52.26; Borealis, 49.83; Carrie, C. W., 51.88; Alnoke, 74.66; Venture, 48.94; Markland, 130.

American Vessels—Vera, 66.81; Zelah May, 65.89; Alle L. Alger, 79.42; Teresa, 70.34; Ida Etta, 72.87; City of San Diego, 51.16; Casco, 67.67; W. L. Rich, 84.10; Oscar & Hattie, 85.55; Mary Taylor, 42.89; Mascott, 49.21; Mary Ellen, 59.08.

To be sold as they now lay at Capt. Grant's Wharf, Point Ellice, together with all sails, etc. Also at same time 300 shot guns, 28 chronometers, 6 boats, etc. Terms of sale "CASH."

Any further particulars can be had from N. B. Giesley, Pemberton Block, or

Also at same time, on account of Mr. Boscowitz, we will sell the schooner "Ada," 99 tons, as she now lays at Grant's Wharf.

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## Preliminary Notice

Instructed by Colonel F. B. Elmist, C. B., we will sell at his residence,

## "SALT AIR"

(E. &amp; N. Ry. near Chemainus.)

ON

Tuesday, June 18th

1 O'Clock

LIVE STOCK, POULTRY, FARM IMPLEMENTS, FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, ETC.

Full particulars later.

MAYNARD &amp; SONS

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## PRESBYTERIANS CONCLUDE LABORS

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The home mission committee was charged with the responsibility of naming ten district superintendents for the work of supervision. A number of these were, however, approved as follows:

1.—For the synod of Montreal and Ottawa—Rev. J. W. Tanner.

2.—For northern Ontario—Rev. J. D. Byrnes.

3.—For the synod of Manitoba—Rev. Dr. C. S. Murray.

4.—For the Presbyteries of Yorkton, Alameda, Arcola and Qu'Appelle—Rev. Dr. Strange.

5.—For the presbyteries of Battleford, Saskatoon and Prince Albert—Rev. M. F. Munro.

6.—For the presbyteries of Swift Current, Regina and Weyburn—Appointment to be made by the home mission committee.

7.—For the presbyteries of Vermilion and Edmonton—Appointment to be made by the home mission committee.

8.—For the presbyteries of Calgary, Lacombe and Red Deer—Rev. W. M. Shearer.

9.—For the presbyteries of Macleod, High River and Kootenay—Rev. F. J. Ferguson.

10.—For the presbyteries of Kamloops, Westminster and Victoria—Rev. Dr. G. A. Wilson.

Principal Gandler presented the amended budget, the total of which now amounts to \$1,200,000 for missions. The total is made up as follows: Home missions, \$125,000; foreign missions, \$225,000; augmentation, \$120,000; French evangelization, \$36,000; Point Aux Trembles, \$24,000; Montreal College, \$12,500; Robertson College, \$19,000; Westminster Hall, \$18,000; Deacons' Training Home, \$5,000; social service and evangelism, \$8,000; Jewish work, \$12,000; aged and infirm ministers, \$25,000; widows and orphans, \$25,000; assembly fund, \$30,000; not allocated, \$2,600.

Loyal letters to the King and the governor-general were presented. These will be forwarded by the clerk.

Men's Suits at half price, \$4.95, \$7.50, \$9.45. Merchants' Sales Co., Cor. Government and Pandora Streets.

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